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POWERS SHOW SYMPATHIES WARNING TO SPAIN Germany Angered At Nationals' Deaths ITALY SEES CIVIL WAR AS TEST OF FASCISM

Berlin, Aug. 7.

It is officially announced that the German *Charge d'Affaires* in Madrid has vigorously reiterated his Government's protest, originally made to Catalonia, demanding compensation for the four Barcelona executions of German subjects.

It is understood that Herr Adolf Hitler is enraged by the anti-German manifestations, and it is therefore doubted if he will subscribe to the French-conceived neutrality proposal.

The press reflects the official tone. One leading journal's comment is illustrative: "The deaths of our citizens who died for Germany spur anew to cry against the bloody terror of Bolshevism. They shall not have died in vain."

It is believed Germany will follow the protest with strong reinforcements.—United Press.

Three More Deaths

London, Aug. 7.
In addition to the four Germans killed in Barcelona, for whose lives Germany is demanding compensation, three more German nationals have been killed in Spain. These include a little girl.
It is stated that the Commander of the German fleet in Spanish waters is energetically protesting to the Commander of the Spanish Government fleet with regard to the shelling of Seville and is demanding measures to prevent a recurrence of such an incident.—*Reuter Special*.

Test of Strength

Rome, Aug. 7.
The Italian belief is hardening that the Spanish revolt is a test of the strength of Fascism and Communism, in which some foreigners are siding with Communism.

Quarters usually representative of official opinion are openly suspicious of the Russian, French and British siding with the loyalists, while the Italians and Germans may side with the rebels.

The *Giornale d'Italia* in a London despatch, reports "authoritatively" that the Spanish Embassy has placed an order with Vickers, Armstrong, the aircraft manufacturers, and hints simultaneously at an organized Franco-Spanish traffic in arms.

This paper, in an editorial, indicates Italian feeling:

"The war cry which began as one of solidarity with the Reds of Spain, continues among irresponsible newspapers and politicians of various countries and creates a spiritual basis of anti-Italian and anti-German political aggression."

Indicative of the seriousness with which Italy regards the revolt, the Government has despatched four cruisers and an unknown number of auxiliaries, particularly to the Barcelona area.

It is noteworthy that 500,000 troops are expected to participate in summer manoeuvres in that region of the Bay of Naples.—United Press.

Leftist Anger

Madrid, Aug. 7.
Leftist anger at the foreign assistance to rebels is mounting, due to the continuance of the insurgents' threat to Madrid.

The newspaper *Claridad* charges that rebel aircraft and landing and provisioning at Amara, Portugal.

It is announced that the former Foreign Minister, Senor Velasco, has been arrested and imprisoned.

The Socialist mayor of Escorial has imprisoned 140 Augustinian monks.—United Press.

Allegation Denied

London, Aug. 7.
The allegation published abroad that Vickers, Armstrong were fulfilling a large order for the Spanish Government for armaments was denied in British official quarters this afternoon. It was stated that Vickers, Armstrong had made no application for export licence without which no arms or munitions can

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HONGKONG MAY BE AIRWAYS' TERMINUS

NEGOTIATIONS WITH NANKING MR. R.A.C. NORTH HOPEFUL

The *Hongkong Telegraph* understands that there is every possibility that Hongkong may become the Far Eastern terminus for the contemplated Pan-American Airways trans-Pacific service from California to China.

Although preparations have been made at Macao for the arrival and departure of Pan-American Airways' planes, negotiations are now proceeding with the Hongkong Government for the purpose of making Hongkong the terminus.

In a statement to the *Telegraph* representative yesterday, the Colonial Secretary, the Hon. Mr. R. A. C. North, said that it is hoped that satisfactory arrangements may shortly be made with Pan-American Airways for utilizing Hongkong as the base.

It is understood that negotiations are also proceeding through the Imperial Government, through the Ambassador in Nanking, and the Chinese Government, with a view to including Chinese internal air services to use Kaitak as a south-western base.

Pan-American Airways are financially interested in the Chinese National Airways Corporation, one of these internal companies.

Full story on Page 8.

ANTI-AIRCRAFT COMMAND WAR OFFICE APPOINTMENT

London, Aug. 7.

The War Office announces that Lieutenant-General J.M.H. Harrison has been appointed Commander of the Second Anti-Aircraft Division, which is to be formed to provide further anti-aircraft defences for the Midlands and North of England from units of the Royal Artillery and Infantry of the Territorial Army.

As announced last month, these units have agreed to be converted to anti-aircraft defence.—*British Wire*

FRENCH FORMULA CAMPAIGN NEUTRALITY PLAN BEFORE POWERS NO TIME TO LOSE

London, Aug. 7.
Urging that there is no time to lose, the French Government to-day began circulating its Spanish non-intervention formula amongst the powers.

The formula has been transmitted to Britain and the French Ambassador at Berlin had an interview on the subject with the German Foreign Minister, Baron von Neurath, this evening. Presumably this talk was for the purpose of handing over the proposals.

It is believed, however, that Herr Adolf Hitler, the Chancellor, will not immediately reply to the plan.

The French Ambassador at Rome also interviewed the Italian Foreign Minister to-day, on the same subject. It is believed.—*Reuter Special*.

ROYALIST CHIEF IN CONTROL GEN. METAXAS HEADS GREEK CABINET

KING GOING ON HOLIDAY

Athens, Aug. 7.
The new Greek Cabinet has been announced, with General John Metaxas, as Prime Minister. This man, former leader of the Party of Free Opinion which has since become amalgamated with the United Monarchist Party, is one of the strongest political figures in the country to-day. He is from the Ionian Islands.

General Metaxas holds also the portfolios of War, Navy and Air. King George of Greece left this evening aboard a destroyer for Corfu, where he will stay until mid-September.

General Metaxas will visit Corfu occasionally to submit documents for the royal signature.—*Reuter*.

SITUATION QUIET

Athens, Aug. 7.
The situation throughout the country is quiet after the declaration of martial law.

The tension is so relaxed that the King is able to leave the capital for a short holiday at Corfu.

In order to curtail expenditure, the Government has stopped payment of the salaries of members of Parliament, which is now dissolved.

—*Reuter Bulletin Service*.

FRENCH SHIP ASHORE CROMER LIFEBOAT TO RESCUE

London, Aug. 7.

The Cromer lifeboat was out to-day in response to a message stating that the 6,013-ton French ship, *San Francisco*, of Havre, was ashore on Halsborough sands.

There was a heavy ground swell and dense fog. The Company state that the vessel was undamaged and it is hoped she will be refloated by to-night's tide.—*British Wireless*.

NO HOPE FOR MINERS ENTOMBED BY BLAST

London, Aug. 7.

There is now no hope for the fifty-seven miners still entombed in the Barnsley pit.

So far, forty-four bodies have been recovered, but it is impossible as yet to reach the bodies of the remainder of the victims, some of whom may remain in the mine for several days, buried under masses of debris.

A rescue team found one party of nine men within fifty yards of an air intake, which might have meant safety, had they reached it. They had battled their way for four hundred yards through the deadly

after-damp, but were then overcome. The bodies so far recovered are so badly mutilated that identity is impossible.

Although there is not the slightest chance that any of the victims are still alive, wives and relatives of the entombed men are still waiting at the pit-head for news.

A Relief Fund has been opened by the Mayor of Barnsley, who is also President of the Miners' Federation of Britain.—*Reuter Special*.

IN SIGHT OF MADRID HEAVY FIGHTING IN SEVERAL AREAS

London, Aug. 7.

Heavy fighting is reported in the region of Badajoz, near the Portuguese frontier and it is believed both loyalists and insurgent forces are manoeuvring for tactical advantages prior to General Franco's anticipated big offensive against Madrid, from the south.

The British flotilla leader Douglas has arrived at Palma, on which the loyalist forces are reported to be planning a big attack, with twelve seaplanes and 3,200 men.—*Reuter*.

OFFICIAL REPORT

Madrid, Aug. 7.

The Governor of Malaga reports officially that the insurgents at Cadiz have surrendered.—*Reuter*.

REPORT PREMATURE

Madrid, Aug. 7.

Three hours after the official report of the fall of Cadiz had been announced, the Minister of the Interior stated that the story of the surrender was premature.—*Reuter*.

Advance On Madrid

Lisbon, Aug. 7.

The rebel army has broadcast from Seville that the columns advancing on Madrid have attained all their objectives. They have surrounded Malaga, they claim, and the downfall of that loyalist strong-point is imminent.

It is reported that the land communication between Madrid, San Sebastian, Barcelona, Bilbao, Gijon and Badajoz have been severed and that General Franco has returned to Seville.

The Civil Guards at Badajoz are said to have joined the rebels and are attacking the loyalist garrison forces. The fall of the city is predicted shortly.

The Granada authorities have permitted Mr. J. H. Jordan, manager of the Socony-Vacuum Company in Spain, to fly to Gibraltar to ascertain whether an aeroplane is obtainable to evacuate thirty Americans and fifty Frenchmen who are marooned at Granada.—*United Press*.

Fierce Air Attack

Guadarrama, Aug. 7.

The loyalist forces have started a fierce burst of aerial warfare over the rebel positions in this vicinity, raining bombs on the countryside in an effort to hamper the rebel advance.

However, General Mola announces that his foremost advance guards are in sight of Madrid and report the house-fronts on the outskirts of the capital are draped in white to signify their neutrality.—*United Press*.

Terrible Threat

Hendaye, Aug. 7.

It is reported that a rebel warship has been sighted and set fire to Gijon.

Simultaneously the Government Popular Front Committee at San Sebastian has threatened the merciless destruction of the entire countryside unless the Navarre and Aragon insurgents discontinue their activities.

The Popular Front Committee announces it has taken delivery of thirty aircraft and says it will shortly possess three hundred.

The threat is considered a reply to the intervention action of the Catholic Bishops of Navarre and Aragon.—*Continued on Page 16.*

STOP PRESS

THREAT OF FIGHTING

Shanghai, Aug. 8.

Chinese press reports state that 20,000 Manchukuoan troops, equipped with armoured cars, tanks and aeroplanes are massed on the Sulyuan border, ready to attack.

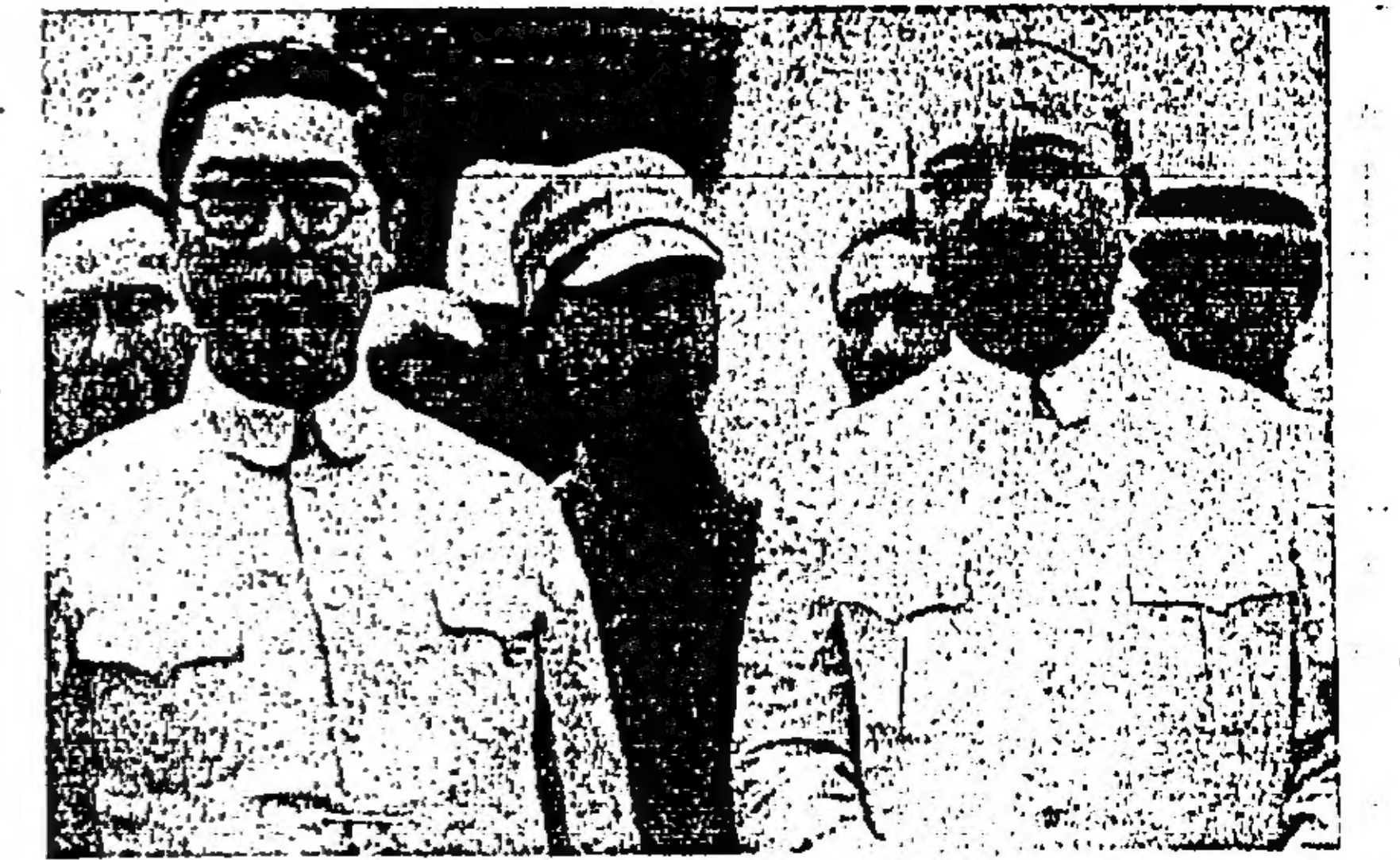
An unconfirmed message says they have already captured Taolin.—*United Press*.

COMET VISIBLE

A comet will be visible in Hongkong to-night. It is in the south-east and 30 degrees above the horizon.

The phenomenon was noticed by Mr. C. W. Jefferies, Director of the Royal Observatory, at 9.30 last night in the south-east when Captain Baylis, manager of the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home, rang up to draw his attention to it.

NEW CANTON OFFICIALS



Shown above are Mr. Wong Mow-chong, new Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government (left) and Mr. Chang Yan-fo, newly-appointed Mayor of Canton. They were photographed as they arrived by plane from Nanking at the Shek-pai Aerodrome. (Photo: Far Eastern Pictorial Correspondents).

SOUTH PORTS BOMBARDED British Woman In Algeciras Hurt

RESIDENTS FLEE TO GIBRALTAR REFUGE

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

Gibraltar, Aug. 7.

The battleship Jaime I, the cruiser Libertad and the destroyer Cervantes reappeared this afternoon and recommenced a bombardment of Tarifa, Getares and Algeciras. The Jaime I came close into the harbour and fired incessantly, while the Libertad and Cervantes were engaged in fighting two rebel flying boats which arrived from Ceuta to harass the attacking fleet.

Thirty British residents of Algeciras rushed to Gibraltar from Algeciras in motor buses and reported that many rooms of the British Consulate had been smashed.

The Vice-Consul's wife had a miraculous escape from death, they related.

The Jaime's first shots killed all the gun-crew of the gunboat Dato and the rest of the crew abandoned the ship, it is believed.—*Reuter Special*.

Watch Bombardment

Gibraltar, Aug. 7.

Residents on the house-tops here watched the battleship Jaime, a cruiser and two other warships bombard Algeciras and start several waterfront fires to-day.

The rebel gunboat Dato was set afire also, and was believed to be a total loss.

The Jaime I, apparently hit and pumping water fast, continued to cruise along the coast, firing an occasional salvo.

In mid-afternoon, accompanied by the Libertad and Lepanto, the Jaime I resumed the bombardment of Algeciras. The docks of the Algeciras badly wrecked the British Consulate and damaged the Argentine Consulate.

Despite the heavy shelling, there are only two known casualties. Loyalist aeroplanes bombed San Roque, killing one.—*United Press*.

Consulate Damaged

Gibraltar, Aug. 7.

The British Consulate at Algeciras has been damaged by shells fired by the Spanish Government's battleship, Jaime I. All the windows of the Consulate facing the seafront have been broken.

The wife of the Vice-Consul received minor injuries from flying debris. Many buildings have been damaged by shells and several persons are reported to have been killed and many wounded.

It is believed the Jaime I has succeeded in dismantling the guns in Algeciras' fortified ruins, for after the first few shots from the warship the defenders failed to return her fire.

The fire on the gunboat Dato is now under control.—*Reuter*.

French Steamer Bombed

Tangier, Aug. 7.

The French steamer Kouboukian, bound for Antwerp from Algiers, was bombed by an aeroplane of unknown nationality five miles from Gibraltar. Three bombs were dropped within a short distance of the vessel.—*Reuter*.

China Loses Basketball To Japanese

CLOSE GAME FOR FIRST HALF

China suffered another reverse in the Olympic Games yesterday. Her basketball team lost to Japan 35-19 after a hard and fast game.

Chinese held their own up to the middle of the second half. At the interval they were trailing 10-15 and early in the second half made a great bid to take the lead. But the Japanese lasted the better, and in a whirlwind finish, piled on goals in the concluding five minutes of the game.

A.G.K. Brown, English champion quarter-miler, only just failed to snatch the 400 metres crown from Archie Williams, Negro-American star. Brown came up at the end in a magnificent burst, but he delayed the effort a little too long.

Latest results and descriptions from United Press and Reuter will be found on the sports pages.

ARGENTINE RETAINS POLO TITLE

Berlin, Aug. 7.

Argentina to-day defeated Britain by 11 goals to nil and thus retained the Olympic polo title.—*United Press*.

TYPHOON WARNING

The Manila Observatory reports that the typhoon is in about Long 135, Lat. 10, moving W.N.W.

NEWS FOR WOMEN

SKIRTLESS and backless Swim Suits
are de rigueur. Skirts, if worn,
must be of the briefest.
Two-piece suits of Brassiere and
'Briefs' are the latest mode.
Colours are gay and
patterns varied.

SOME of our local Grundies would have the shock of their lives if they saw the latest swim suits at Home! Brevity is the keynote of their design. But I do hope the same Grundies will realise that it is in no spirit of mischief or desire for nudity that these designs have been evolved. They are just really practical,

workmanlike models, carefully thought out to give the swimmer the greatest possible freedom of the seas. Utility is the first thought of the designers of garments for the sea this year.

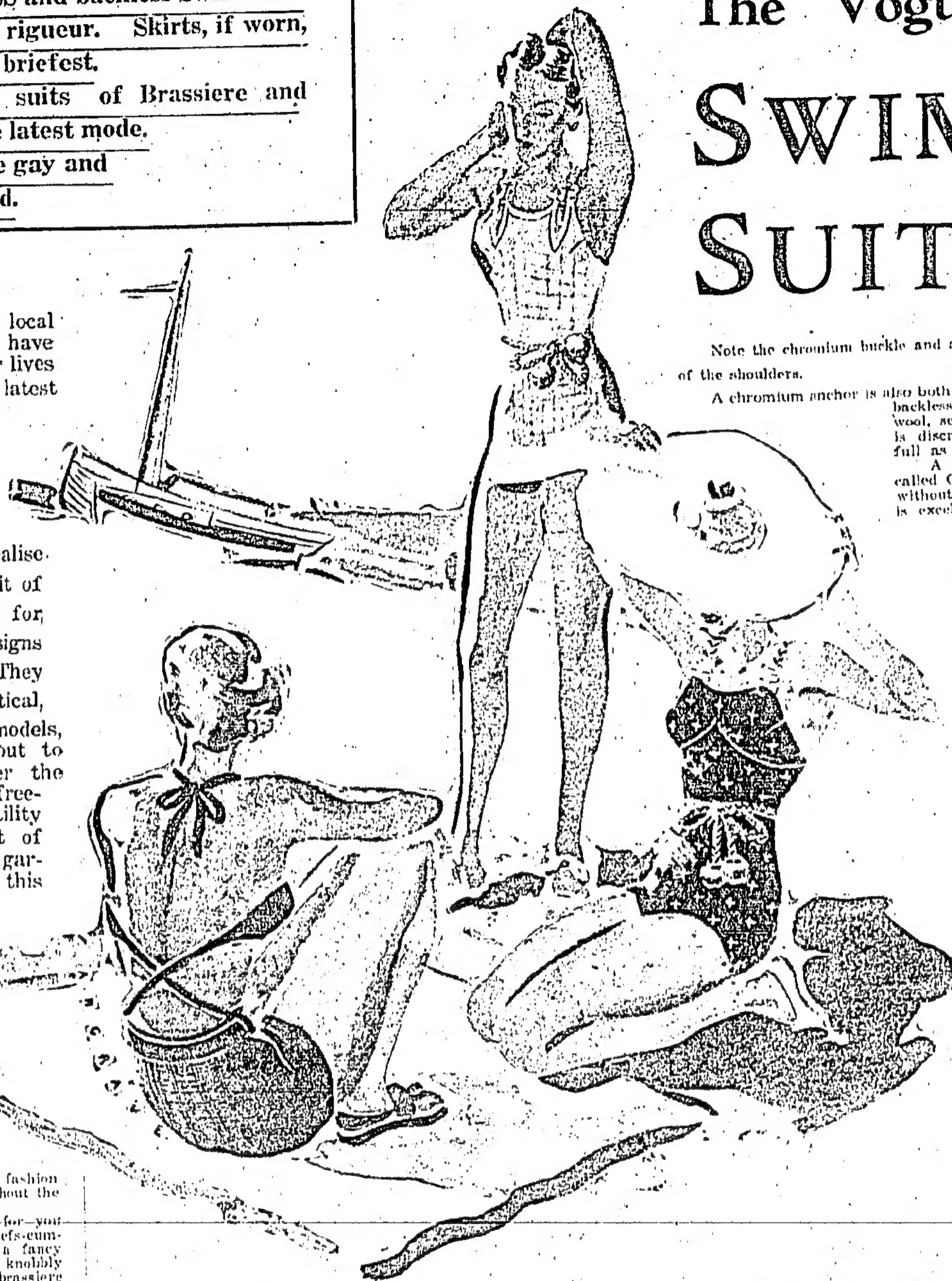
THE briefest of the suits consist only of "briefs" (the shortest of short pants) and brassiere top. Sometimes the top is attached to the pants in front, but more often it is an entirely separate piece, making a two-piece suit.

Wolsey and Jantzen have many attractive new suits this year, which can be bought at all the best fashion houses and drapers throughout the country.

Angrove has sketched for you here one of their briefs-cum-brassiere suits, made in a fancy knit design of raised knobby squares. The top of the brassiere is held up by straps tied halter-like round the neck, and similar straps from the sides cross over at the back, and, slotting through loops at the sides of the pants, finish by tying in a bow in front.

But whatever type of garment you choose it must fit like a glove and have the shortest possible leg-line.

In the sketch, too, you see a best-seller backless and skirtless model, designed by Wolsey, and carried out in fancy-knit wool with a small pattern woven in. The plaited shoulder straps slot through loops at the back of the waist and carry on through loops at the sides to tie in front. You can get this model in navy with white pattern, white with red and egg-shell, jewel blue, coral reef, daffodil and wavecrest green, all with white pattern.



The Vogue in SWIM SUITS

Note the chromium buckle and anchor that fasten the straps in front of the shoulders.

A chromium anchor is also both ornamental and useful on the skirted, backless sun model in basket-work design wool, seen on the standing figure. This suit is as well as slim figures. A very similar Wolsey model to this, called Golden Sands/2, in plain knitting, and without the chromium anchor and cutouts, is excellent value.

MATERIALS are all of the very firm knitwear variety, and both fancy stitches and smooth-patterned weaves are extremely smart. Sometimes the wool is woven with Lastex to make quite certain that it cannot stretch and become baggy. But a really good firmly knit wool gives perfect satisfaction in this respect too.

Colours are exceptionally gay. Navy, scarlet and white suits are established favourites, and will always be worn; but the newest colourings are the very clear pastel tones, which go so admirably with sunburn.

WOLSEY have the loveliest shades of coral reef, pale prawn, egg-shell blue, jewel and ocean blue, wavecrest green, daffodil, and poppy glow. These are replacing to a great extent the cruder shades of emerald, royal blue, scarlet and bright yellow of past seasons.

In former years it was so difficult to get pastels that did not lose all their colour effect in the water that they were seldom seen; but the new clear shades show up beautifully and in consequence are sure to become firm favourites.

Another very chic design Wolsey has is a very heavy, stretch and has a white ground woven with an irregular diamond pattern flecked with red and blue.

If Your Name is Hilary

Symbol: A bird singing on a bough

THIS name signifies a bright, whimsical and attractive mind with much gentleness and charm of manner.

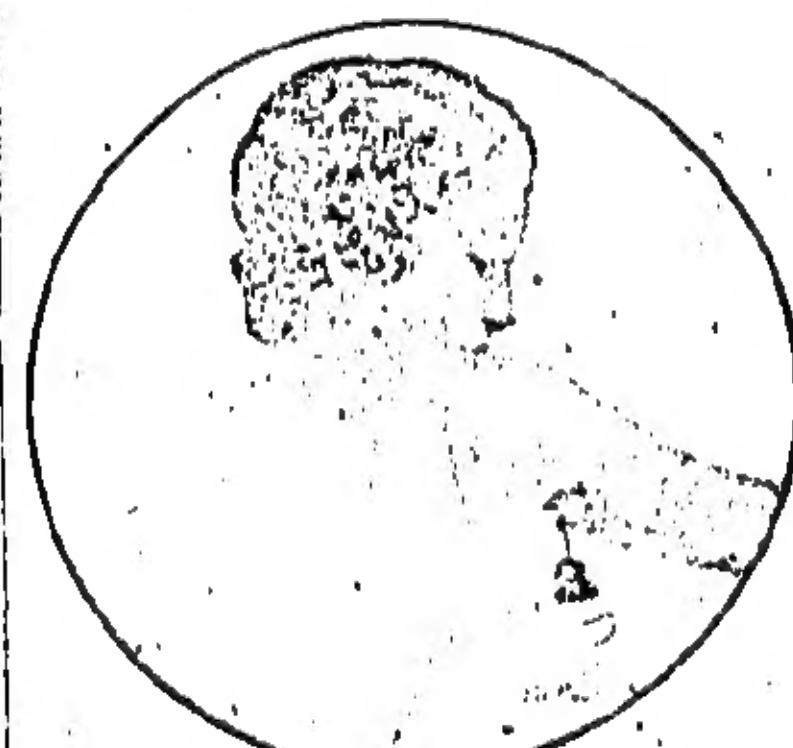
If your name is Hilary your lucky day is Monday and the second hour before dawn and the hour before mid-night are the best, and the second day of the month will bring you unexpected blessings.

Your lucky colours are white and light blue.

Combine them in your decorative schemes and in your personal adornment. They will enhance your charm.

Your lucky gem is the moonstone. Wear it and you will never lack admirers.

Your flower is the white rose, and your lucky number is 2.

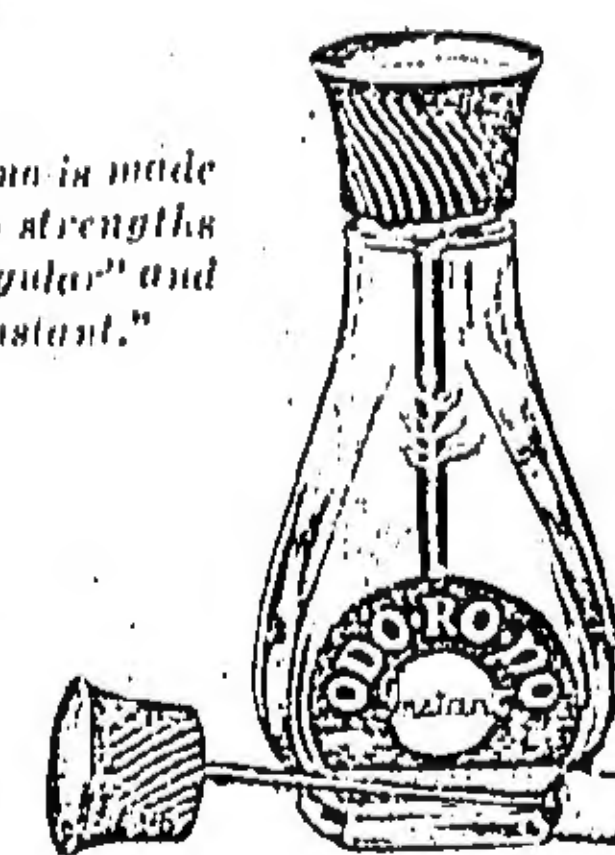


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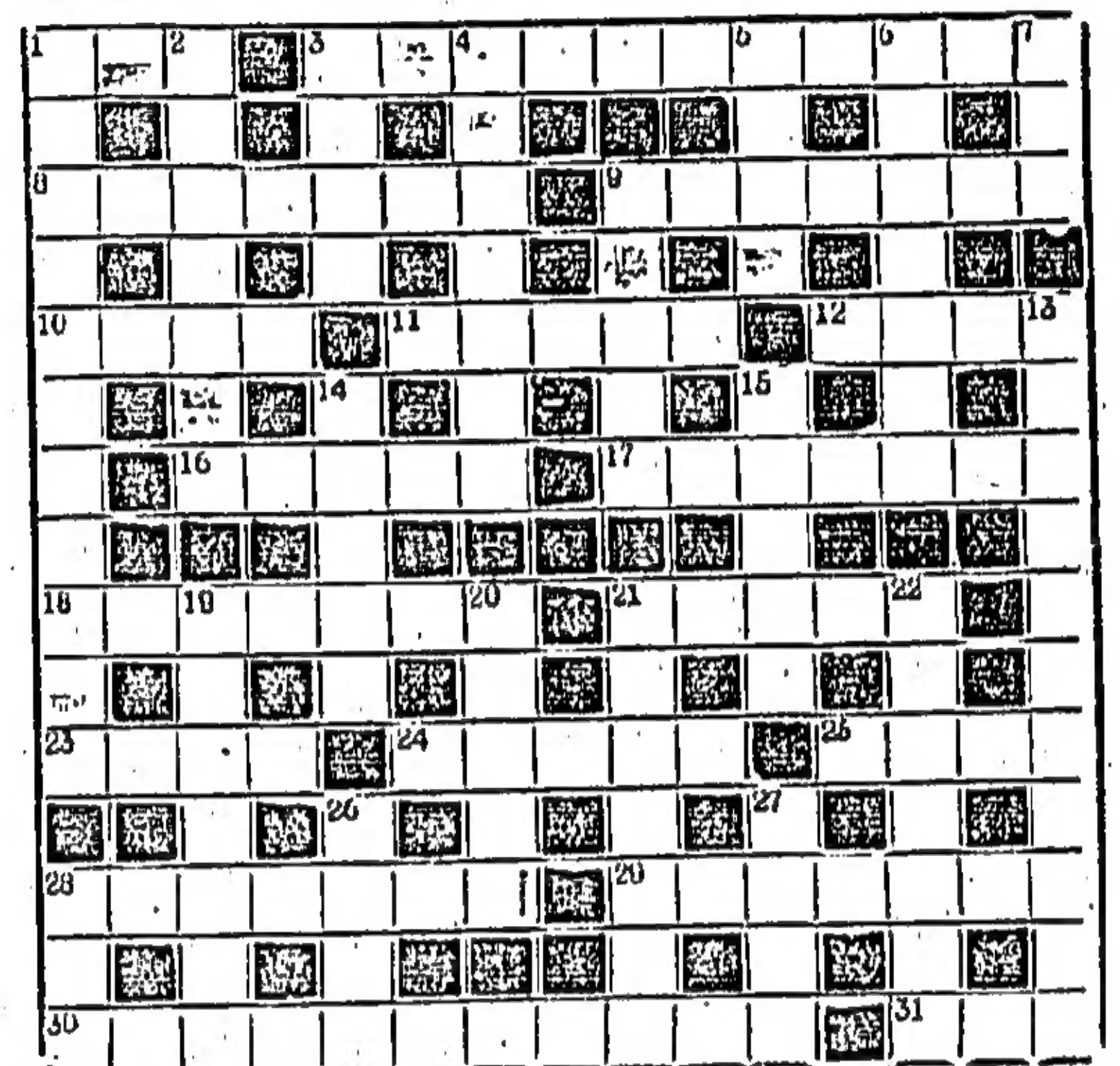
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ACROSS

- 1 There's a taste in siphons.
- 3 You this, the knife might say to the link in the United States.
- 4 An audience for encounters.
- 9 Fought hard in the past.
- 10 What the bell was the ladder bud.
- 11 Showing the amount of moisture there is in corn.
- 12 Increased in stature.
- 13 Rage, like the non-com, about a certain point.
- 17 Some circle?—or unled?
- 18 You must have permission to break silence.
- 21 Like a cornet holding an organ.
- 23 Expresses grief audibly.
- 24 Handed out for business before tea.
- 25 The account given to me is the highest possible.
- 26 Bends and fastens with a strap.
- 29 Where advice to economise will be futile.
- 30 Schoolboys' name for Little Mary. (Hyphen, 5, 6).
- 31 What the person is who 23.

DOWN

- 1 Gives us more suits engaged in acrobatics.
- 2 Are necessary to those who have children.
- 3 May be pine or storm.
- 4 Rum's got in this alleged remedy.
- 5 A little tarnished, shall we say?
- 6 What made the bloke a Communist when out of sight?
- 7 Sunburn.
- 9 May be seen at Winter Sports

In Switzerland, or on the cricket-field at home.
13 Handsomely turned out, or, at any rate, (Two words, 4, 7).
14 Get in, with you!
15 Sound lads useful to sailors.
16 It certainly sounds as though the dormitory had six sides, but I don't expect it has.
20 May be seven, but, also, six and eight.
21 The type of Russian who always ends in a muck.
22 A Scot knows the end of the novelist.
23 The reverse of 31.
27 A noteworthy change of fate.
28 Pop down for twelve pennies.

Yesterday's Solution.

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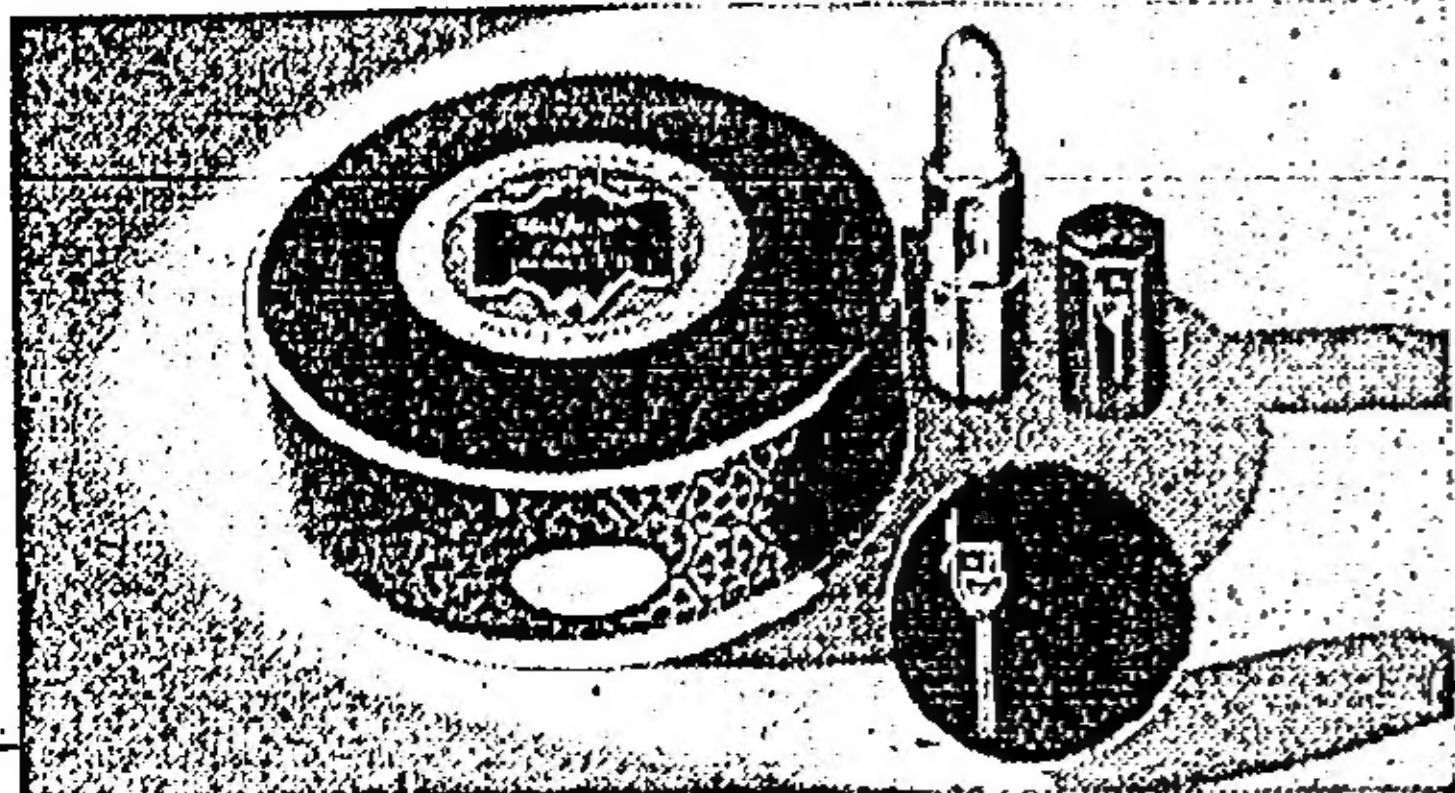




MAKE-UP HINTS

By
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Since the hair-darkening influence has spread from Hollywood to all corners of the earth, we suggest to review the changes of Society Make-Up. When you darken your hair you must also darken your make-up. If you make your hair light-brown, just one shade darker make-up will be enough. Your face powder would be a rachelle, while your rouge and lipstick would be a vivid vermillion. Another shade darker would be necessary if you make your hair medium or dark brown.



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AUDREY'S DIARY TELLS THE WORLD!

HER NIGHT CLUB DRINKING ORGIES

Chicago, July 20.
"IF I COULD ONLY FORGET EDDIE. DAMN IT. I JUST CAN'T BEAR THE IDEA OF HIM BEING MARRIED—I LOVE HIM SO."

This was one of many dramatic passages in the diary of Audrey Vallette, a beautiful blonde, clad in silken negligee, who was found murdered yesterday in her bed in an hotel.

The police believe that this extract is confirmation of their theory that Audrey was killed by a jealous wife.

Search is being made for Mrs. Ruth Freed, a young brunette, who, according to the hotel staff, visited Audrey immediately before her death, and then left by car.

It is alleged that Mrs. Freed on the day of the crime entered a cabaret where the manager—her husband—was entertaining Audrey. Then she is said to have darted out, shouting: "I'll get both of you."

Audrey's slim, black diary was found on her dressing-table, and it contains amazing confessions.

"We went down to the Yacht Club. Lillian got awful drunk. Wandered down the floor naked." That is one extract.

On another is written: "It's dreary out to-day and smells like hell. I went home back riding, drank a pint and got drunk."

Again she writes: "Lillian and I killed half a gallon of beer." And again: "A man got smart; my eye got all swollen up, but I hit back."

Still again: "I slept in a bedroom alone; I was nervous."

"THE DRUNKARD'S COCKTAIL."

And finally: "I feel so good; I could sing for some unknown reason. I was tomato juice and Worcester sauce that did it the delectable cocktail."

The name of some of Audrey's men friends figure in the diary, and the police believe that the wife of one of them committed the murder "as an act of jealous vengeance."

There were also in the diary descriptions of a succession of night club drinking orgies.

Described as being of good family, Audrey Vallette had twice been married and divorced.

She was shot by a single bullet while having breakfast in bed. As she lay dying she managed to reach the telephone and cry for help.

Reuter.

The Coronation Coins

SETS FOR COLLECTORS

Mr. Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, made a statement in the House of Commons last month regarding the arrangements contemplated by the Royal Mint for the issue of special coins for the coronation.

"In accordance with custom," he said, "specimen sets of the first issue of the coins of King Edward VIII. will be issued for collectors and others requiring them. Sets containing gold coins will be available at special prices to all who apply."

"Full details will be publicly announced in good time, and the issue will be available to all applicants both at home and overseas."

The coins are not likely to be seen before next year. Officials of the Royal Mint are still busy with the design and other details.

Even then the "man-in-the-street" may not handle a new sovereign. There will be silver and copper coins in plenty, but the production of gold coins depends on the Bank of England.

The cost of specimen sets will depend on the price of gold. These sets are likely to include both gold and silver coins, and will probably be sold above their face value. Whether copper coins will be included has not been decided.

The sets will be recognisable by their special workmanship. They will be hand-minted, and, in consequence, will not bear the slight scratches or other marks which ordinary coins, run off at the rate of a hundred a minute, are likely to receive.

Mother's bathing costumes seem a bit too big for these two young Eves.



T.U.C. Row Blowing Up Over Citrine's Attack On Russia

A NEW and bitter row has broken out in the Socialist Party against Sir Walter Citrine, secretary of the Trade Union Congress, and against the party newspaper, the *Daily Herald*. It is expected to turn the Socialist Party Conference at Plymouth in September into the stormiest gathering since 1922, when the Communists were expelled from membership.

Sir Walter Citrine recently went to Russia and wrote a book about it, "I Search for Truth in Russia" (Routledge, 10s. 6d.). The *Daily Herald* published a series of extracts from it.

By special arrangement, these series of articles are being published curiously in the *Hongkong Telegraph*, one appearing elsewhere in today's issue.

The book criticises the Soviet system mercilessly. It declares that production under the Socialist State lags far behind that of the great capitalist countries in output, quality, and the conditions of living it imposes on the workers.

Women are toiling there, says Citrine, at jobs this country asks only its navvies to do. Wages are low, and the "Stakhanov" speed-up in the factories is at a breakneck rate.

An unemployed man, with a wife and one child, in Britain, he calculates, is "getting on the dot" twice as much as he can earn in Russia.

As for housing, Sir Walter says that though rents are low, there is terrible overcrowding, and the much-boasted new houses are so shoddy that in ten years they will be slums.

"BETRAYAL"—Admirers of Russia in this country are clamouring against this "betrayal of Socialist solidarity." Trade union lodges are drawing up resolutions condemning their chief executive officer.

A fierce attack was made in the "Daily Worker" by Mr. John Bromley, one of the railwaymen's leaders, himself a member of the T.U.C. executive. He calls the book a "muck-rake"; the gallant knight, he says, made not a search for truth, but for everything that might be contorted into use against the Soviet.

Party leaders, who are committed to a policy of bringing Britain into the Franco-Soviet pact, are aghast at the effect of Citrine's disclosures. They say that even if he told the whole story of Russia's increasing social services, cheap travel, holidays with "pay, etc.", which they deny that he does, the effect of his book would be a gift to the Government of the very ammunition they need.

AUSSIES GREET "COCONUT TWINS"

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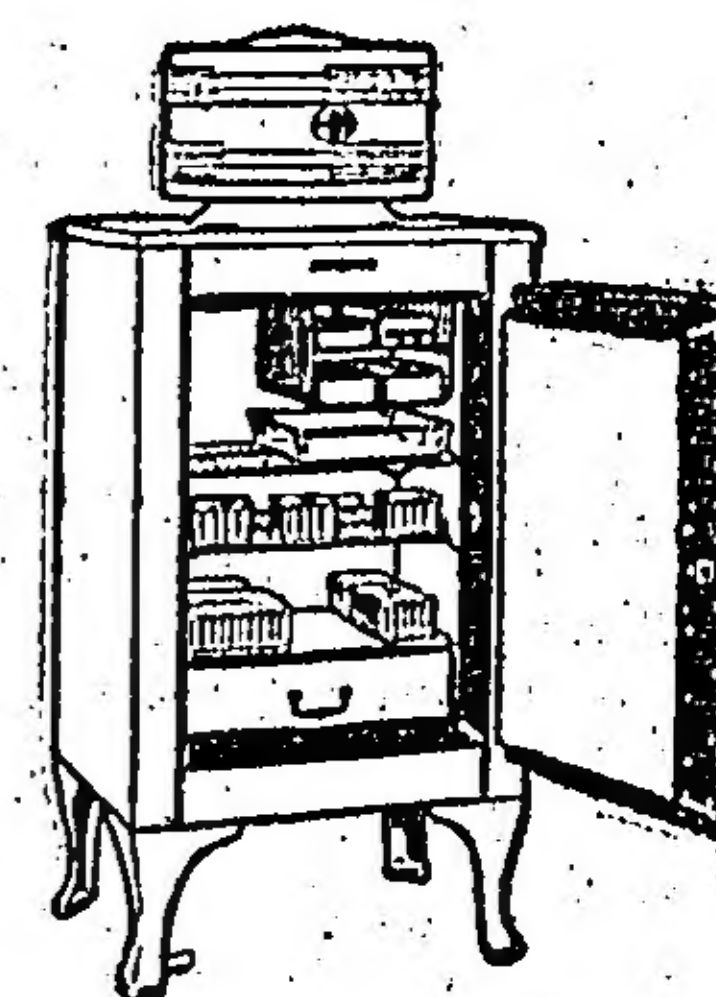
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WATER LEVELS STATE OF RIVERS IN KWANGTUNG

The following returns have been issued by the River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province, showing the water levels in English feet at the places of observation named:

	Highest	Lowest	on	at	on
	on	on	at	at	at
West River at	47.6	2.5	10.7		
West River at	41.0	0	27.8	28.4	
North River at	25.6	0	19.6		
North River at	27.6	5	13.3	18.3	
East River at	15.5	2.5	6.8	7.1	

EXCHANGE

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4 m/s. L.C. London	1.35
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4 m/s. France	5.00
30 day India	83.25
U.S. Cross rate in London	5.0214

One case each of Diphtheria and Typhoid were reported to the local health authorities on Thursday.



William Powell and Jean Arthur in R.K.O. Radio's "The Ex-Mrs. Bradford," coming to the Queen's Theatre on Sunday.

THE HONG KONG TELEGRAPH SIXTH ANNUAL Amateur Photographic Competition

June—August, 1936.

Details have been unavoidably crowded out of this edition but the list of sections, rules and Entry Form are printed below.

SECTIONS:—

SECTION 1
Story-Telling
SECTION 3
Views
SECTION 5
For Children

SECTION 2
Chinese Studies
SECTION 4
Still Life
SECTION 6
"News-happenings"

READ THE RULES CAREFULLY.

- The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
- Pictures submitted in Sepia tones should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.
- The Prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by a form which will be published daily during the period of the Competition.
- The right to publish any or all of the entries in the Telegraph is reserved.
- Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
- At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.
- No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
- Photographs must not be less than Post-card size (excepting in the Children's Section) and the entry form should be lightly pasted on the back.
- No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address on the entry form countersigned by a parent.
- No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.
- Members of the Staff of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
- The decision of the Judges shall be final.

Entry Form

SECTION
NAME
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS
of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday the 10th day of August, 1936, at 3 p.m., at the Office of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Stubbs Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the purchaser will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, \$200.00 in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in sq. feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	Stubbs Road	100 feet by 100 feet	10,000	\$40	\$1,000

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Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the purchaser will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, \$200.00 in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

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The Registrar of Shares of the Company will be closed from Monday, 10th August to Tuesday, 18th August, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors.

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METHODIST CHURCH

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LIST OF SERVICES

The following are the forthcoming services etc., at the English Methodist Church, Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hongkong.
9th Sunday after Trinity, August 9 Morning Order of Service by Rev. F. A. White, at 10.15, English Methodist Church, opposite R.N. Hospital. Hymns No. 35; 465; 694; 841; 710. Lesson: Lamentations 3, 22-42; Romans 5.
Evening Order of Service, by Rev. F. A. White, at 7.15, English Methodist Church, opposite R.N. Hospital. Hymns No. 467; 477; 650; 696. Lessons: Gen. 40, and Romans 8, 1-17.

Notices for the Week
1. Badminton Club meets Monday and Thursday, 7.30 p.m.

UNION CHURCH

Rev. Frank Short To Preach To-morrow

The following are the notices for the forthcoming week at Union Church, Kennedy Road:

Sunday, August 9.
Morning Service at 10.30 a.m.
Evening Service at 7.30 p.m.
Preacher at both services: Rev. Frank Short.

There will be a meeting of the Committee of Management after the morning service.

A Social Hour will be held after the evening service in the Church Hall. Tuesday evening at 7.30 p.m. S.A. will meet in the Church Hall.

Friday at 10.30 a.m. the Helena May Institute: Meeting of Christian Fellowship.

The Minister will be on holiday in August, during which time all communications should be addressed to the Church Secretary, Mr. E. Dimworth, 24 Peel Street, Maudslayi.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hongkong

SUNDAY'S SERVICE

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches to-morrow, August 9, will be "Spirit". The Golden Text will be: "Thou art my God; thy spirit is good; lead me into the land of uprightness." (Psalms 143:10).

Announced others, the following citations from the Bible will be read: "The Pharisees also with the Sadducees came and tempting desired him that he would show them a sign from heaven. He answered and said unto them, when it is evening, ye say, It will be fair weather; for the sky is red. And in the morning, it will be foul weather to-day; for the sky is red and lowering. O ye hypocrites, ye can discern the face of the sky; but can ye not discern the signs of the times? But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. But hath revealed them unto us by his spirit: for the spirit searcheth all things, yea the deep things of God. For what man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the spirit of God" (Matthew 16: 1-3—1 Corinthians 2: 9-11).

The Lesson Sermon will also include the following passages: "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy. "All we correctly know of Spirit comes from God, divine Principle, and is learned through Christ and Christian Science. It is recorded that Jesus, as he once journeyed with his students, 'Knew their thoughts' and discerned disease and healed the sick. After the same method, by the Hebrew prophets. Our Master rebuked the lack of this power when he said: 'O ye hypocrites! ye can discern the face of the sky; but can ye not discern the signs of the times?' How much more should we seek to apprehend the spiritual ideas of God, than to dwell on the objects of sense! To discern the rhythm of Spirit and to be holy, thought must be spiritual. Paul said: 'To be spiritually minded is life.' We approach God or Life, in proportion to our spirituality, our fidelity to Truth and Love; and in that ratio, we know all human need and are able to discern the thought of the sick and sinning for the purpose of healing them."

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CINEMA NOTES

There have been five or six really good backstage musicals made since 1927—some of them had great stars, some had outstanding song hits, but none of them have had a story like "Song and Dance Man", the new Fox picture which is now playing at the King's Theatre. When George M. Cohan wrote the story he took the very heart of Broadway and put it into a play. Now, the screen version enhanced with new songs, laughs and pathos is even more entertaining than the stage play was years ago. The story of "Song and Dance Man" reveals the drama of the quiet self-sacrifice of poor ham-and-egg song and dance man whose girl had a chance to make the big time if he stepped down and out. The girl, however, refuses to take advantage of the opportunity offered to her by a wealthy playboy because of her loyalty to the man who had taught her all she knew. The hooper, realising he is holding the girl back, puts on a phoney drunk and splits up the partnership. The girl, having no other alternative, accepts the chance and goes on to stardom. The obstacles, and only when the hooper returns to help the girl overcome these obstacles does one realize the extent of his self-sacrifice. Paul Kelly has the title role and is co-featured with Claire Trevor. The supporting cast which is headed by Michael Whalen includes Ruth Donnelly, James Burke and Lester Maltheus. "Song and Dance Man", which was produced by Sol M. Wurtzel and directed by Allan Dwan, features four new song numbers all written by Sidney Clare and Lew Pollack.

"I Found Stella Parish"
Ray Francis brought tears to the eyes of women patrons and a sympathetic moisture to the eyes of many of the men in First National's intensely emotional drama, "I Found Stella Parish" which was shown on the screen of the Star Theatre yesterday. Mrs. Francis is supported by an exceptionally talented cast, which includes Ian Hunter, Paul Lukas, Ned Jordan, Jessie Ralph and Barton MacLane. "I Found Stella Parish" is one of the most powerful dramatic productions in which the brilliant star has yet appeared. In this picture Mrs. Francis is given an unusual opportunity to express emotional feeling, and she rises to it with the flair of a real artist. Her depiction of the bitterness and despair of this woman, separated from her child, haunted by scandal mongers, betrayed by the man she loved, is one of the high lights in screen artistry. Ian Hunter, noted British actor, who divides his time between the stage and screen, both here and abroad, gives an exceptionally fine portrayal of the young journalist who ruins the life of the woman who loves and trusts him and then helps her back to love and success. A finished performance also is given by Paul Lukas in the role of Miss Francis' theatrical producer who also is in love with her. One of the most remarkable portrayals is by Sybil Jason, the child actress born in South Africa who made her American film debut as the star of "Little Big Shot." Others in the cast who have lesser parts, but who give outstanding performances, include Jessie Ralph, as the child's nurse; Barton MacLane, as the blackmailing husband of Miss Francis; Walter Kingsford, Harry Beresford, Joseph Sawyer, Eddie Acuff and Robert Strange.

"You're the Top"
Parodies of "You're the Top," the song that made America "top" conscious, enliven the Paramount presentation of "Anything Goes," which opens on Sunday at the Star Theatre. This is the comedy created a sensation on the New York stage during its long run there. Bing Crosby, who heads the cast, exchanges parodies with Ethel Merman. Everything from a Gershwin ditty to the Great Chinese Wall is invoked to bring out the lighter side of the "You're the Top" theme. Others in the cast are Charley Ruggles, Ida Lupino, and Grace Bradley. Bing Crosby finds himself aboard an ocean-going liner, with the borrowed passport of a public enemy in his pocket. He must elude the ship's officers while searching for a beautiful stranger whom he believes to be, in distress. A would-be bad man, in disguise, Charley Ruggles, assists him in his various disguises in order to keep out of the clutches of the law, and within speaking distance of his charmer, both of which endeavours occupy all his time. The direction is by Lewis Milestone.

U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuters.

	New York Cotton	New York Rubber
October	12.02/02	12.02/04
December	12.02/02	12.04/04
January	12.02/02	12.03/03
March	12.05/05	12.07/08
May	12.06/06	12.08/08
July	12.02/02	12.05/05
Spot	12.01	12.07
September	10.29/29	10.31/31
October	10.32n	10.34n
December	10.40/40	10.42n/43n
January	10.43n	10.45n
March	10.49n/51n	10.51n/53n
May	10.58n/59n	10.62/02
July	10.66n	10.70n
Total sales—370 tons.		
Chicago Wheat	113 1/2/113 1/2	111 1/2/111 1/2
September	113 1/2/113 1/2	110 1/2/110 1/2
December	112 1/2/112 1/2	110 1/2/110 1/2
May	112 1/2/112 1/2	110 1/2/110 1/2
Thursday's sales—47,884,000 bushels		
Chicago Corn	104 1/2/104 1/2	104 1/2/104 1/2
September	104 1/2/104 1/2	104 1/2/104 1/2
December	104 1/2/104 1/2	104 1/2/104 1/2
May	104 1/2/104 1/2	104 1/2/104 1/2
Winnipeg Wheat	107 1/2/107 1/2	107 1/2/107 1/2
October	107 1/2/107 1/2	107 1/2/107 1/2
December	107 1/2/107 1/2	107 1/2/107 1/2
May	107 1/2/107 1/2	107 1/2/107 1/2

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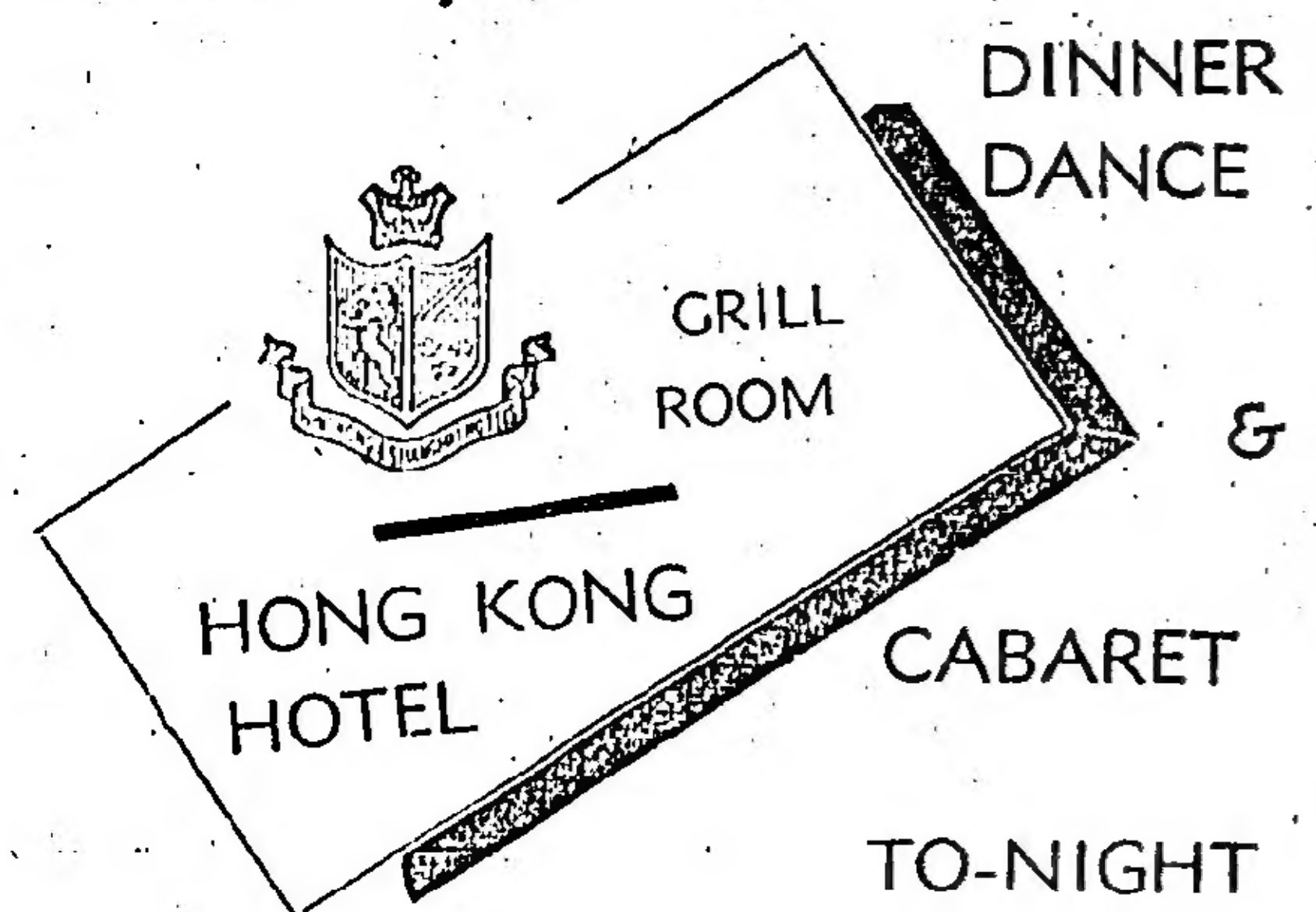
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Straits	Eumecus
Shanghai	Mila
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Japan	Ginyo Maru
Shanghai	Ajax
Shanghai	Aramis
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Straits	Van Heuls
Shanghai, Foochow and Europe via Siberia (London date, 18th July)	Zulderkerk

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Saturday	
Fort Bayard	Wing Wo	Sat, Aug. 8, 2 p.m.
Amoy	Clara Jensen	Sat, Aug. 8, 2.30 p.m.
Shanghai	Eumecus	Sat, Aug. 8, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai	Pres. Grant	Sat, Aug. 8, 4.30 p.m.
Straits and parcels only for Germany via Hamburg	Lycemoon	Sat, Aug. 8, 5 p.m.
	Trave	Sat, Aug. 8, 5 p.m.
	Sunday	
Foochow via Swatow	Hopsang	Sun, Aug. 9, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun, Aug. 9, 9 a.m.
	Monday	
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	G. G. Paul Doumer	Mon, Aug. 10, 1 p.m.
Madang, Salamaua and Rabaul	Friderun	Mon, Aug. 10, 5 p.m.
	Tuesday	
Batavia	Tjisareca	Tues, Aug. 11, 9.30 a.m.
Letters for "Air Orient Service"—due Marseilles 23rd August	Aramis	Tues, Aug. 11
	K.P.O.	
Japan Reg. Aug. 11, 9.30 a.m.	Reg. Aug. 11, 10 a.m.	
Letters Aug. 11, 10 a.m.	Letters Aug. 11, 10.30 a.m.	
Saigon, Ceylon, India, East and Aramis via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 8th September)	Letters Aug. 11, 11.30 a.m.	
	G.P.O.	
Reg. Aug. 11, 10 a.m.	Reg. Aug. 11, 10.45 a.m.	
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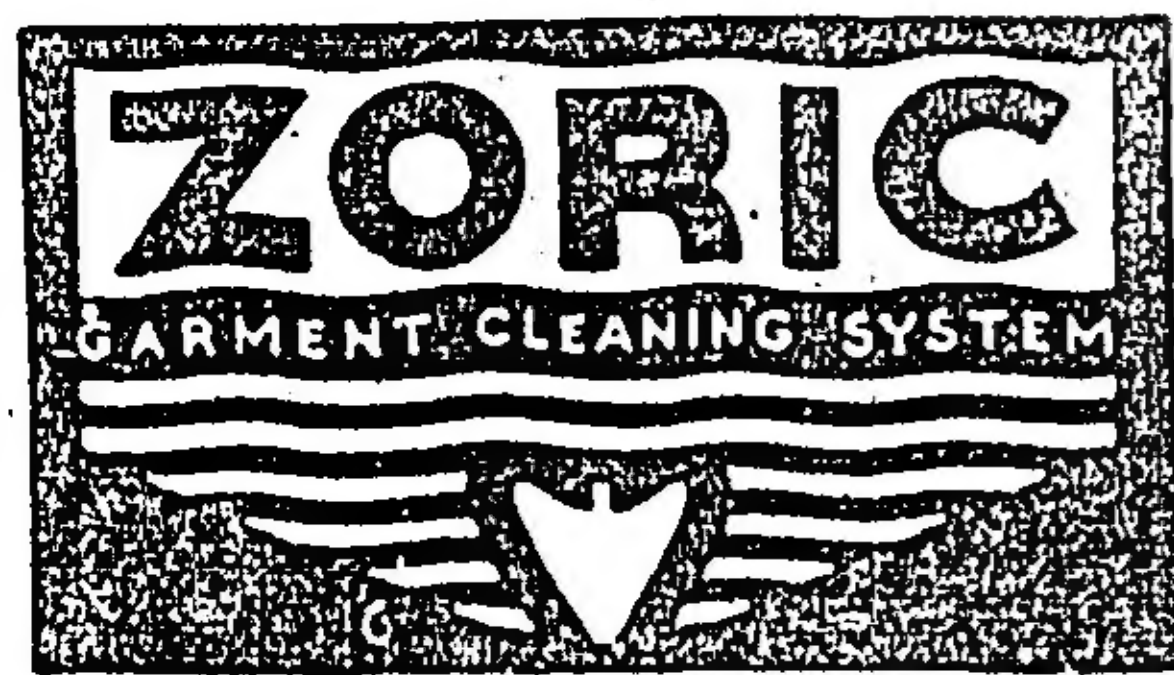
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Received prior to the appeal and previously acknowledged: 791.05
Total \$2,060.05

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 2.)

"Your Tiny hand is frozen" Heedle Nash (Tenor).
1.30 p.m. Time and weather.
1.35 p.m. Concert Items.
Piano Solo—Ecclesiastes (Bach); Sonata in A Major (Scarlatini); Mischa Levitzki; Songs—Parted (Tosti); I Love Thee (Grieg); Richard Crooks (Tenor); "Cello Solo—Berceuse Salve (Neruda); Maurice Dambosi; Songs—Go Down, Moses (Harleigh); I stood in de ribber; Peter, go ring dem bells... Paul Robeson (Bass); Instrumental—Serenade (Schubert)... The Angelus Octet.

1.30 p.m. Press Bulletins, weather time and announcements.
1.40 p.m. Excerpts from "The Messiah" (Handel).
Aria: Why do the Nations Chorus; Let us break their bonds; Chorus; Hallelujah Chorus.

1.50 p.m. Band Music.
Rakoczy March (Berlioz); Radetzky March (J. Strauss); Hyde Park Suite (Jalowiec); Entry of the Gladiators—March (Fucik); Patrol Comique (Laloe); A Hunting Scene (Bucalossi).
2.15 p.m. Concert Waltzes.
Dollar Princess Waltz (Fall); Child, you can dance like my wife (Fall); Tres Jolie—Waltz (Waldteufel); Dreams on the Ocean Waltz (Gungl).
2.30 p.m. Close Down.

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.
7 p.m. An Organ Recital by Dr. E. Bullock.
1. Organ Concerto in B flat (Handel); 2. Water Music Suite—Movement in D (Handel).

7.15 p.m. Choir of the Temple Church, London.
Praise the Lord, O my Soul (Wesley); Hear my Prayer (Mendelssohn); Soloist: Master E. Leitch.
7.30 p.m. Concerto for Violoncello and Orchestra (Elgar) played by Beatrice Harrison (Cello) and the New Symphony Orchestra.
7.45 p.m. Beniamino Gigli in a Recital.

1. Woman is Fickle ("Rigoletto") (Verdi); 2. The Stars were shining ("Tosca") (Puccini); 3. I still seem to hear ("Pescatori di Perle") (Bizet); 4. O Charming hour ("The Dream") ("Mignon") (Massenet).
8 p.m. Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.05 p.m. Waltzes by Waldteufel.
Liebe Dich Waltz; An Dich; Dolores; Bien Aimes.
8.15 p.m. A Recital by Elsie Suddaby (Soprano).

1. Let the Bright Seraphim ("Samson") (Handel); 2. O Sleep! why dost thou leave me? ("Semele") (Handel); 3. The Mocking Fairy (Beethoven); 4. The Almond Tree (Schumann).
8.30 p.m. "Enigma Variations," (Elgar, Op. 36).

8.55 p.m. "On Wings of Song" (Mendelssohn) played by Mark Hambourg (Pianoforte).
9 p.m. Press Bulletins.

9.10 p.m. A Relay of the Band of the 1st. Battalion Royal Ulster Rifles from St. John's Cathedral Hall, conducted by H. Alfred Hole, A.R.C.M. (by kind permission of Lieut. Col. R. M. Rodwell B.A. Officers).
10 p.m. Big Ben from Daventry.
10.30 p.m. Dance Music.
10.30 p.m. Close Down.

During July a total of 14,700 cases were treated by the St. John Ambulance New Territories Medical Benevolent Branch, of which 5,483 were new cases. Altogether 2,422 were seen by a doctor during the month, while 616 were visited in their homes. The surgical cases included one of snake bite.



Robert Montgomery and Rosalind Russell in "Trouble For Two" showing on Sunday at the King's Theatre.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

GOOD, THE MORE COMMUNICATED, THE MORE ANGRYST GROW, THE AUTHOR NOT IMPAIRED, BUT HONORABLE. *Millon.*

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. J. A. Fraser, M.C., to act as Crown Solicitor during the absence on leave of Mr. T. M. Hazlerigg, M.C.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewell, C.M.G., L.L.D., to be a Member of the Authorized Architects Consulting Committee, vice the Hon. Sir Shou-son Chow, K.L., L.L.D., resigned.

A dinner dance will be held on the Open Road of Repulse Bay Lido, weather permitting, and at Repulse Bay Hotel in event of bad weather, at 9 p.m. to-day, and the usual tea dance will be held on Sunday, 9 p.m. at Repulse Bay Hotel.

**LATEST NAVAL
MOVEMENTS****AMERICAN CRAFT
DUE HERE**

H.M.S. Orpheus sails for Weihaiwei to-day on a routine cruise.

The U.S.S. Asheville is expected to-day from Manila, and to-morrow the gunboat U.S.S. Mindanao is coming from Canton. The U.S. transport Henderson is bringing reliefs to the gunboats in Hongkong on Monday.

The Japanese destroyer Sanae, which has been in the vicinity of Canton and the West River recently, is coming in to-day and staying until Monday.

**POLICE OFFICER
MARRIED****COUPLE LEAVE FOR
ENGLAND**

Early this morning, at St. John's Cathedral, the wedding was solemnized of Miss Madeline Frances Phelps and Mr. Arthur Wilfred Hircok, of the Hongkong Police Force.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Phelps, of Hongkong and formerly of Pembroke Dock, whilst the bridegroom is the youngest son of Mrs. and the late Mr. C. E. Hircok, of Leicester.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents at 59c, Wongneichong Road. At noon, Mr. and Mrs. Hircok left for England by the P. and O. Nalderna.

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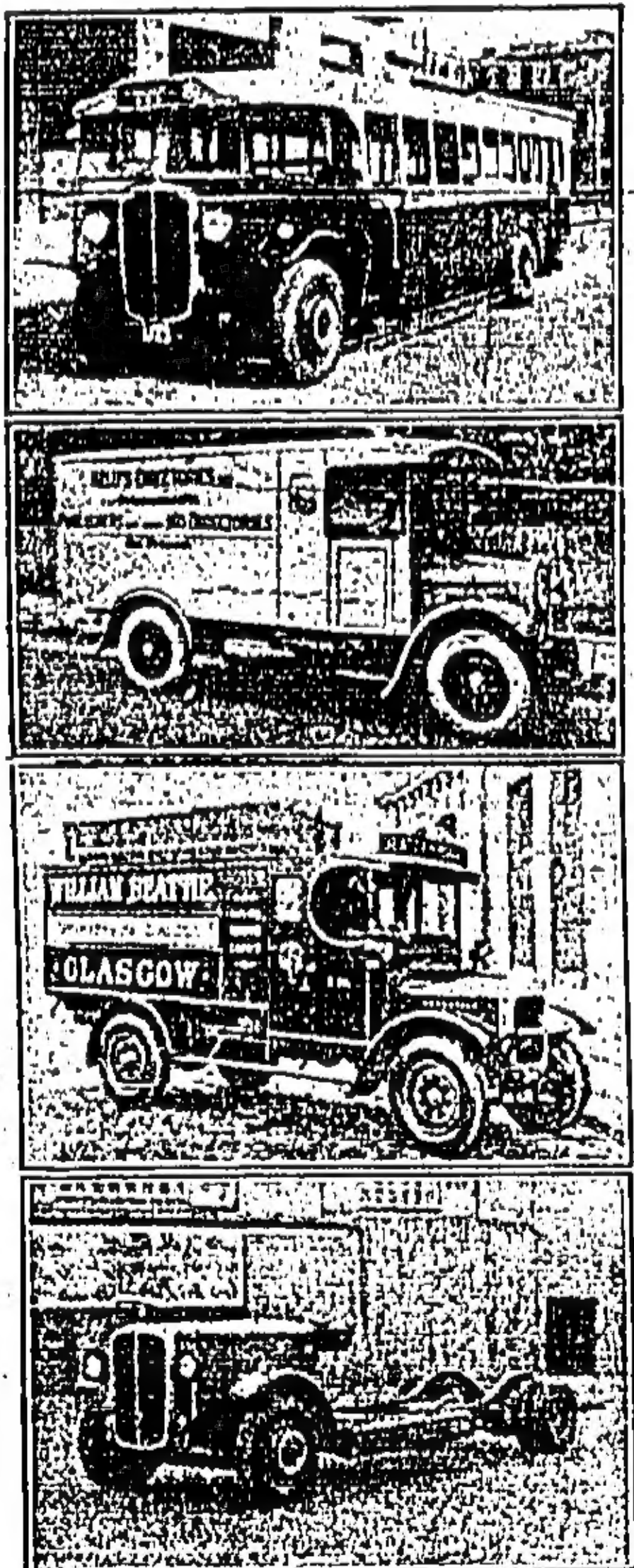
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City of 5,000 People Found from the Air "LOST COLONY" IN THE HEART OF THE JUNGLE There for Ten Years— and the Government Did Not Know

Singapore, July 25.
AN "unknown" city inhabited by 5,000 Chinese and situated in the midst of the Malayan jungle, has been found by a British Government official while he was flying over the district.

The official, who was employed in the land office of the native Malay state of Johore, saw a large settlement in the heart of the jungle which he could not place. Next day he drove to it, and to his amazement discovered the city, which is called Young Peng.

The Government were totally unaware of the existence of the town, although it has been a thriving agricultural centre for nearly ten years. The settlers had occupied the land without permission, and were not contributing one penny in taxes.

The inhabitants, who are Chinese, work as rubber planters on an area of more than 10,000 acres. They had built the town as their headquarters and provided it with all the amenities of a native civilisation.

EVEN SUBURBS
"Suburban villages" were also found around Young Peng, and were, in fact, a series of virtual republics hidden away in the British-protected State of Johore, all working peacefully from a main road, but lies in a region little frequented by Englishmen.

The discovery at once presented the Government with several knotty problems. The chief of these was whether the "occupiers" should be prosecuted for trespass.

It was estimated that the land, including arables of rent, was worth £10 an acre. On 10,000 acres this meant that the amount owing to the Johore Government was £100,000, and the State could ill afford to lose this newly-found source of income.

Finally, after several conferences, the settlers were made an offer. They were told they could pay £10 for every acre they "owned" and be treated as "retrospective tenants," or get out.

The Johore Government have now netted nearly all of the £100,000 it expected.—United Press.

Women Wage "War"

Chinese Girls Seek Place In The Sun

Shanghai, July 21.

Women of China are waging a determined campaign for a place in the political sun of the nation. Their immediate objective is a larger representation in the National Assembly which will meet at Nanking Nov. 12 to adopt the Draft Constitution and replace party government by popular democracy.

Quietly but actively a group of women leaders at Nanking has enlisted the support of feminists in all parts of the country. Their aim is simple—to have the voice of 200,000,000 women heard at the Assembly. Declaring that the small number of women arbitrarily selected as Assembly delegates constitutes merely a gesture, the women leaders hope to bring into the national councils a feminine representation more nearly corresponding to their numerical strength.

NO RESTRICTIONS
Although the Election Law makes no restriction as to the sex of candidates, the women point out that according to the provisions of the law not a single woman is likely to be elected. Candidates for the Assembly seats are to be nominated by the village or town elders and district chiefs, but the women maintain that the elders are "remnants of feudalistic society" and highly unlikely to designate any women candidates. Comparing the plight of women in China with that of the negro in the United States, the women issued a manifesto calling on all Chinese women to unite for the improvement of their social and political status. Alleging that the social lot of the American negro has not been improved by emancipation, the manifesto declares that the status of Chinese women has likewise not been aided by the "lip service" of the Election Law.

MEN "BACKWARD"
An Assembly composed entirely of men, the women also say, will make China appear backward in the eyes of the other nations of the world. Women in Soviet Russia, the manifesto reminds the nation, enjoy full political freedom and many hold office. Furthermore Dr. Sun Yat-sen, father of the Chinese Republic, assigned women delegates to the first congress of the Kuomintang, (China's political party), in 1924, and present-day leaders are urged to follow his example.

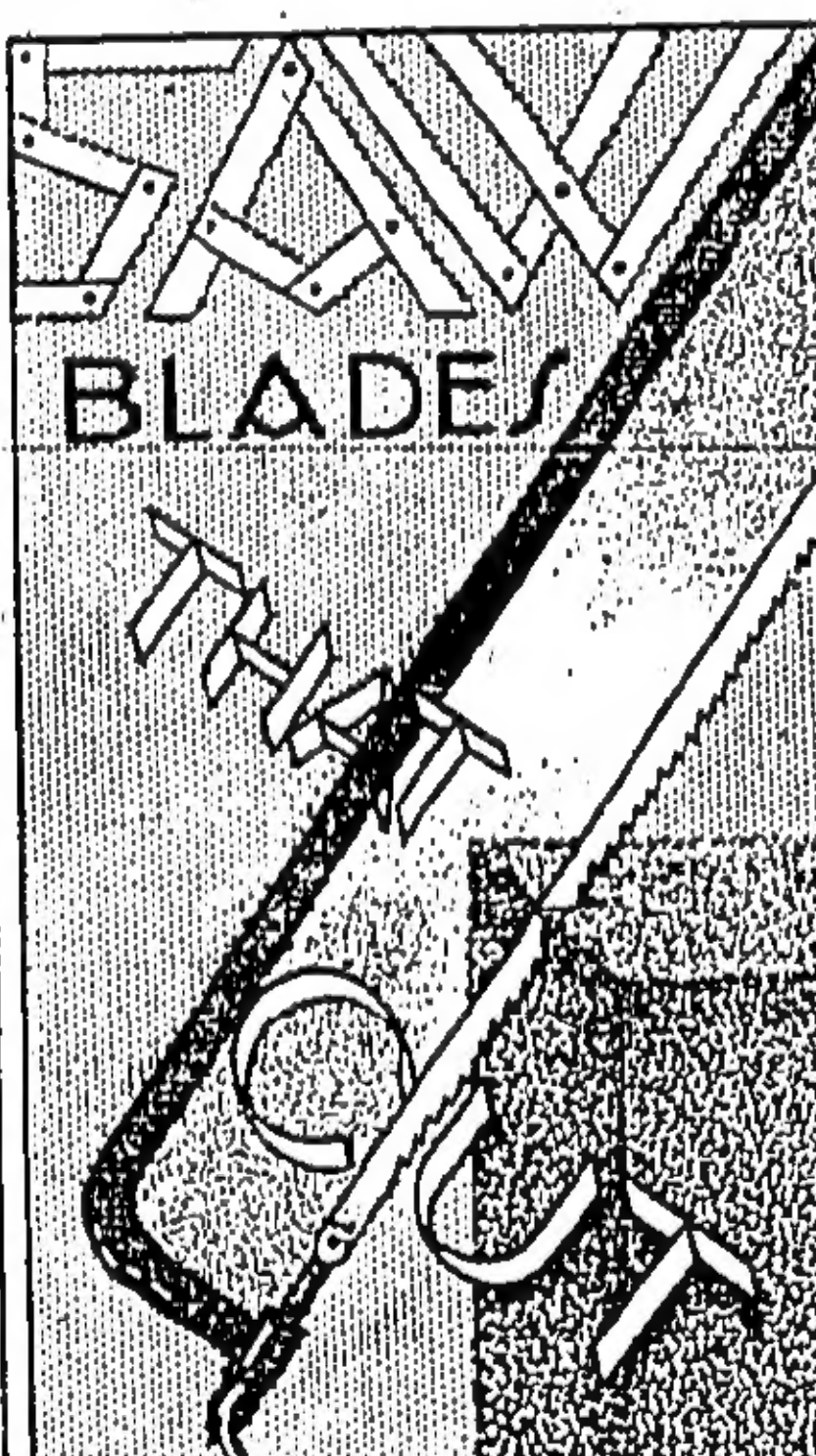
Leader of the campaign is Mme. Feng Yu-hsiang, wife of the man who used to be known as the "Christian General," now vice-chairman of the Military Affairs Commission at Nanking. The movement has also gained the support of Mme. Chiang Kai-shek who has promised to present the women's views to her husband, strong man of China and most potent figure in the National Government.—United Press.

VICAR SHOCKED, FAVOURS CENSOR FOR EPITAPHS

London, Aug. 1.
The Rev. J. W. Huxley-Williams, Vicar of Christ Church, Fulham—a London suburb—spent his time while in the cemetery waiting for funerals to arrive reading the epitaphs and they shocked him.

He was so moved that he wrote in his parish magazine protesting against the "collection of non-sensical doggerel on the headstones." "How some of the inscriptions passed the censorship of the local authorities I cannot imagine," he continued. He added that they appeared to have been taken from the undertaker's stock book of sentimental quotations and were without any pretension to good English or correct representation of Christian teaching.

To save the cemetery from the "ridicule of posterity" he suggests that in the future inscriptions should be called from the Scriptures or else local clergy should be consulted.—United Press.



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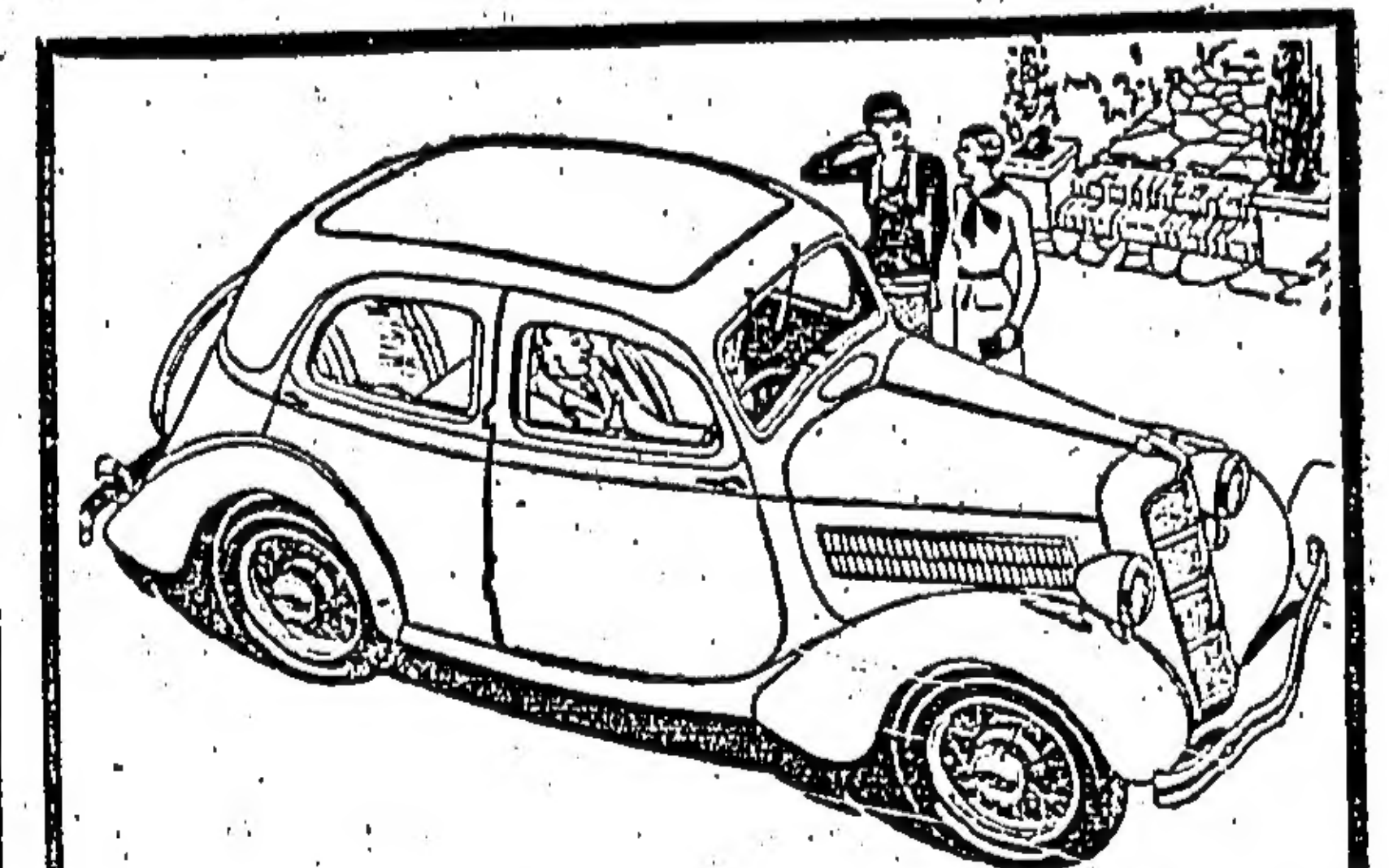
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MAKE AND MAR LIFE AT SAME TIME
STUDY BY 700 MEN IN LONDON

More than 700 scientists, from 40 countries, met in London on July 25 to discuss the smallest of man's benefactors and enemies. They were delegates to the International Congress of Microbiology, of which Professor J. C. G. Ledingham, Director of the Lister Institute, was president.

Industry, agriculture, food storage and transport, and medicine are among the practical activities which the interests of the congress touched. Here are brief character sketches of some of the actors:

Bacteria.—These are more like plants than animals. Though popularly associated with disease, they are essential to life on the earth. In spite of artificial fertilisers, they are still the most important agents in keeping the soil supplied with nitrogen. Minor activities are helping to make cheese, vinegar and pocket handkerchiefs.

MYSTERY OF VIRUSES

Viruses.—Cannot be seen, but are presumed to be alive because they increase and multiply. Their size is "measured" by observing what is the finest "filter" through which they will pass. Give plants many of their diseases as well as animals and men. Give the tulip its "wilt".

Protozoa.—The smallest animals proper. There are hundreds of thousands of them in every ounce of soil. Wage unending war against the even more numerous soil bacteria. What market gardeners know as "soil sickness" results from the protozoa gaining too decisive a victory. At sea they are the basic food of all fish, and they are responsible for malaria and sleeping sickness, among human diseases, also for cattle plagues and other animal troubles.

Fungi.—These are responsible for more plant diseases than any other form of life, but are used, under factory conditions, to make more than 200,000 tons of manure annually. Most popular products are bread, beer, wine, and spirits. Actinomycetes—Fungi so primitive that they scarcely deserve the name. Are present in the soil in enormous numbers and enormous variety. Yet very little is known about them.

MORE WORK.—Microbiologists believe that many of these more minute forms of life can be made to do a very much larger amount of useful work for man than has so far been got out of them. The questions they would like to see answered are almost as innumerable as the organisms with which they deal.

The congress was opened by Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, whose responsibilities, as Lord President of the Council, include that for the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research. In addition to Professor Ledingham, four "Presidents of Honour" represented the Universities of Brussels, London, Cambridge, and Glasgow.

EVERY TIME HE MOVED IN HIS BED

World Experts Sought the Trouble in Vain

A SICK man, whose every movement caused interference to many commercial radio services, was referred to by Colonel Sir Donald Banks, Director-General of the G.P.O., in a speech at Colchester when he opened the new head post office.

The interference, said Sir Donald, baffled British experts and those of many foreign countries.

"America, where its effects were particularly strong," he said, "requested the assistance of our engineers, as well as those of European countries. Radio experts of newspapers wrote articles describing the interference as a rough humming note of about 120 cycles per second, but its source remained a mystery."

"I have just received information that after much investigation the source of interference has been traced to a hospital in America, where for medical purposes a large coil of wire was wound round a patient and radio frequency currents applied."

ACTED AS AERIAL

"Owing to coupling effects, high tension power lines passing over the hospital were energised, and these acted as an efficient transmitting aerial."

"Each time the patient moved, he varied the frequencies thus transmitted, and thus unwittingly increased the confusion of the investigators."

So successful has the greetings telegram proved, said Sir Donald, that the Post Office is introducing it in a new form.

In the past 11 months, nearly 1,250,000 such telegrams have been sent.

"It is a curious feature," added Sir Donald, "that during the first week in June, the number sent increased by 100 per cent. Perhaps it is because May is an unpopular month for weddings, and that many weddings are postponed from May till June."

The new form would give a summer-like touch both in the thought and in the form.

SEA TRIP FOR OPERATION

New York, July 15. Kelvin Rodgers, aged three, of Melbourne, completed a 9,000-mile journey to-day when he arrived in the United States to have a nail on his right hand removed from his right lung by Dr. Chevalier Jackson, the Philadelphia inventor of the bronchoscope.

The boy swallowed the nail 18 months ago, and the expenses of the

Japanese Open Clinic To Curb Suicide Waves

Nets May Be Put Around High Buildings to Balk Jumpers

Tokyo, July 24.

The suicide problem has become so important in Japan, where love tangles and the desire to join loved ones in death cause the self-destruction of some 20,000 persons annually, that a special clinic to curb the practice has been established.

Tokyo police also are combating a revival of the practice of committing suicide by leaping from the city's taller buildings. There were three such cases within a recent week.

Ryunosuke Kobayashi, known as a "suicide specialist," has been placed in charge of an office opened by the Japan Suicide Prevention Society. He will seek to dissuade those bent on suicide from carrying out their plans.

TO INTERVIEW

Kobayashi, in his early 40s and with long experience in dealing in such problems will interview persons who have come to believe that death is the only answer to their troubles.

He will specialize in warding off shinju, or "love suicide," which has claimed many hundreds at Mihara-Yama on the island of Oshima, as well as in less spectacular fashion.

Kobayashi arranged to call a meeting of educators and social workers, and to map out a series of lectures on the prevention of suicide.

JUMPING PRACTICE

Last year the practice of jumping into the crowded Ginza from a tall building apparently was in disfavor after several years which saw an average of more than a score annually kill themselves in that manner. The three who committed suicide recently were young men.

In 1931, 18 men and seven women killed themselves by jumping from Tokyo buildings. There were 22 men and 14 women in 1932, and in 1933 and 1934 there were 25 and 19 such suicides, respectively.

Police are considering a system of net construction around some of the larger buildings. Special guards are being posted. The Matsuya department store has guards of its own and a rail around the roof has been designed to prevent any climbing to the ramparts.

Voyage work paid by Sir Charles Comhore, Melbourne philanthropist. Dr. Jackson's bronchoscope is a long metal tube with a tiny light at the end, which illuminates the interior of the lung. A second instrument, resembling a pair of forceps, is inserted to remove such objects as coins, marbles, and pins.



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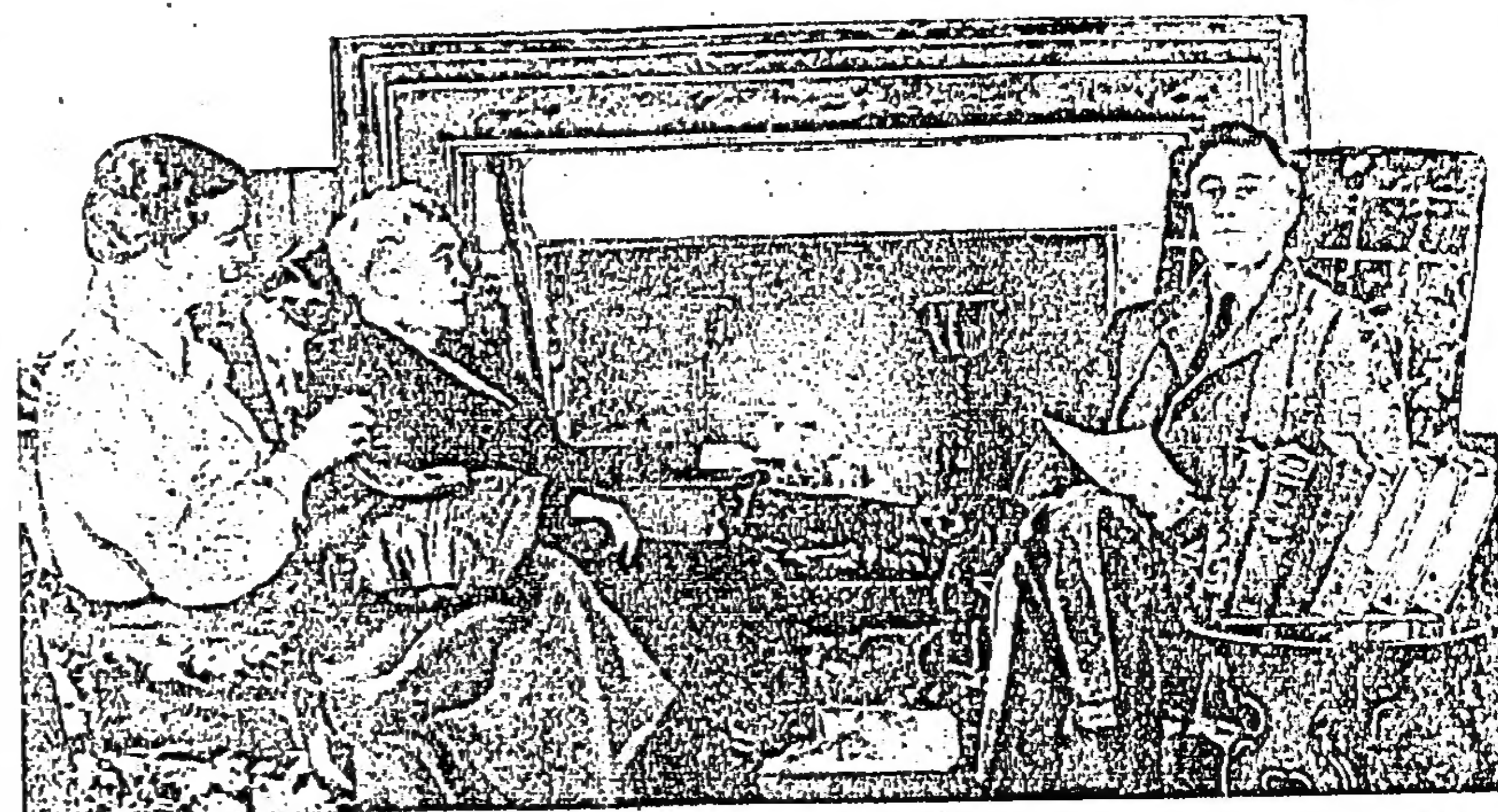
Rumours still persist regarding the possibility of Mr. Baldwin resigning his post as Prime Minister in the near future. Some of these emanate from quarters within the Conservative ranks, which, for reasons of their own, wish to see Mr. Baldwin out of office. There are suggestions in these circles that he is no longer fit for the arduous duties of his position and that the country is dissatisfied with his leadership. Actually, however, it seems more likely that they find his forthright personality somewhat disconcerting. Times without number, Mr. Baldwin has overcome opposition within his own party, and a few weeks ago, when addressing the London Conservative Association, he bluntly declared that he would retire when he felt himself no longer able to carry on his duties with efficiency, and not at the dictation of any faction inside or outside the House of Commons. In point of fact, the Prime Minister still occupies a unique position in the esteem of men of all parties. He has been the mainstay of the present Government since it first came into being, and for that alone the country owes him much. The Government, admittedly, has had its troubles of late. Misfortunes have not come singly, but in battalions. And palpable mistakes have been made. But mistakes, in the unprecedented circumstances of the international and domestic situation, are inevitable. The country would look in vain for a satisfactory alternative to the present Ministry, and it has no desire to look for an alternative to the present Prime Minister. It is quite clear that Mr. Baldwin desires to continue in office if his health permits. The duties of the office are extremely burdensome, and the strain to which the Premier is subjected calls for a high degree of physical fitness, and, equally important, of philosophical detachment. Besides the duties of office there are the many troublesome incidents to be borne—"indiscretions" of colleagues, campaigns by the Opposition for the discomfiture of the Government, and the machinations of mischief-makers who seem to become more persistent and ingenious as the years go by. It is, therefore, not to be wondered at that Mr. Baldwin should at times show signs of tiring. In official circles it is conjectured that the question of the Premier's retention

The U. S. Election Campaign is now in full swing—the Republican and Democrat Conventions have already been held. At the Election in November—

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should win
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Says

W. F. Bullock, British Correspondent
In New York

THE HOMELY PRESIDENT—A happy picture of Mr. Roosevelt with his wife and mother.

Not only did all party opposition to his re-election evaporate but the once great Republican Party is leaderless, planless and distracted. In the Democratic primaries only one solitary antagonist—caddy enough, a New York lawyer, Mr. Henry Breckenridge, whose chief title to fame is that he is the legal adviser of Colonel Lindbergh—dared to enter the lists against him.

Mr. Breckenridge opposed Mr. Roosevelt in three States—Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, and Maryland. In the two last named he was defeated respectively twenty and five to one, while in Massachusetts his defeat was so overwhelming that no one bothered even to tabulate the figures.

Hence, it was certain when the Democratic National Convention met last month at Philadelphia that it would be merely a ratification assembly. It nominated Mr. Roosevelt unanimously as the party candidate on the first ballot and thereafter gave itself over to jollity.

In striking contrast with the Democratic Convention was the convention of the Republicans at Cleveland, which had to decide between many candidates, including half a dozen "favourite sons" of individual States.

"Anybody except Hoover" appeared to be the dominating sentiment of the thousand delegates, and their thousand alternates. Governor Landon of Kansas was nominated.

Landon owes his strength to a phrase. In American politics phrases frequently play a great part. In this instance the phrase is that Landon is a "Kansas Coolidge." Big business interests worship this type of man.

tion of his post will depend on how he feels when Parliament reassembles on the autumn. The summer recess gives him some three months for rest and recuperation, and it is quite possible that he may feel well enough to remain in office until the Coronation. There is, however, a possibility that there may be a new Prime Minister when Parliament re-assembles. Whatever happens, there can be no questioning the yeoman service which Mr. Baldwin has rendered his country through exceedingly trying times; if it should become necessary for him to retire, there will be widespread regret at the loss of a man whose calm deliberation and sincerity of purpose were never more needed than they are to-day.

A Crushing Majority

LONDON was opposed by the "Great Borah" who, however, had no hope of the nomination. For 25 years Senator Borah has played a part in every political campaign, but as convention time approaches he always becomes less and less of a factor.

The fact that Republicans were compelled to take for their candidate an obscure and mediocre Governor of a Mid-western State—on the theory, of course, that he can capture the Mid-West from Roosevelt—reveals the poverty of this once predominant party in the matter of leadership.

Looking beyond the conventions, the prospect is as certain as anything can be in politics that Roosevelt will be re-elected—probably by a crushing majority.

The demoralised Republicans seem to be without any concrete issue.

Their latest blunder is causing Homer laughter in the Democratic camp, for by it they have deprived themselves even of the "brain trust" issue. Very solemnly, a month ago, the Republicans set up a brain trust of their own.

His Main Support

IN an eighty-page pamphlet entitled "What We Must Do to Save Our Economic System," it describes the population problem as "fundamental," and the most dangerous form of laissez-faire as "that which leaves the quantity and quality of our population to blind biological forces which are cruder and

more dangerous than so-called blind economic forces."

Though the Republican Party has been fulminating for the better part of three years against the "regimentation" of the nation by the Democrats, its brain trust urges further regimentation by birth control to limit the number of the unfit, by sterilisation to discourage "mere biological urge," and by restriction of marriage where congenital reasons exist.

But first and foremost it advocates "limitation of employment to our own people" by prohibiting all immigration to the United States.

In one delectable sentence it sets forth in support of marriage restrictions that "if no one will marry until he can afford an automobile it is certain that no children will be legitimately born except in families that can afford automobiles."

The Republicans' appeal will be to the upper classes, whereas Mr. Roosevelt's strength lies in the great body of American middle and lower classes.

Perhaps the biggest factor in his favour is the colossal sums of Government money to be turned loose before the November election. Of this, almost \$500,000,000 consists of the soldiers' bonus. Farmers benefit payments and public works account for further large amounts.

With these huge sums being poured into the channels of trade in the next six months it would seem to be impossible for American business to go sour or to stagnate during the pre-election period. Hence, untoward developments which might threaten the complete triumph of Mr. Roosevelt are not expected.

BULLS AND INNERS

From the Office Butts

ZBW Announcer:—"We are now going over to Manila, where you will hear the latest Hongkong stock quotations. Pay no attention to that funny noise; it's only Ipobates hardening."

The man who was fined sixty cents for hawking those cute little bug-boards might have been given an honour instead. He certainly qualifies for the title of Our Bug Exterminator.

A new subscription griffin from Australia kicked a mafuo in the face and knocked a few teeth out. He should make his mark.

An article written for Home consumption alleges that food drinks are harmful. In Hongkong, however, they are just the thing for home consumption.

A resident was overheard to remark on the Peak tram that he had white ants in his wireless set. Radio bugs.

A London writer states that young Europeans in the Far East drink too much. They just gin and bear it.

The trouble about typhoon warnings is that they're so often in the office!

Miss China is
So Modern

By Florence Dean
THE modern young women of China are as chic, as intelligent, as poised, and as efficient in all spheres of life as are modern women everywhere.

And, like other modern young women, they are doing things that must make their grandmothers turn in their graves.

For instance, their grandmothers, swaying on "lily" feet, practised the doctrine that woman's place is in the home. Modern Chinese girls, freed from the cruel poetic fiction about "swaying on lily feet," nimbly play tennis, basket-ball, and hockey; dance waltzes, blues, and the carioca.

Boldly, like men, they leave home to earn their living in strange cities, competing against men in all vocations and professions. They are teachers, doctors, nurses, lawyers, journalists, dentists, aviators, traders, architects.

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BUT in cities and hamlets remote from the coast and from foreign influence, tradition, centuries old, still holds the people in thrall. Here small girls shrink with pain while their feet are being tightly bound, although the laws of the Republic forbade the practice fifteen years ago.

As a startling illustration of the contiguity in China of the ultra-modern and the ancient regime, I have on my desk two clippings taken from a Chinese newspaper. The first, showing the photograph of a very pretty young matron named Mrs. Elsie Soong, describes a Chinese fashion parade in which the mannequins were Shanghai Society girls.

Mrs. Soong, who organised the show, was educated in the United States, is a dress designer, and also a member of Shanghai's younger smart set. The newspaper reminds readers that a few months earlier Mrs. Soong had made a reputation as an amateur actress in a local performance in English of "Lady Precious Stream." A generation ago no respectable Chinese woman would have appeared in public either as mannequin or actress.

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THE other clipping tells the tragic story of a modern girl whose behaviour offended custodians of the ancient regime. Not twenty miles from Peking she was buried alive because she had dared to wear fashionable clothes and to go freely about the streets of her native village.

Her father, a prosperous farmer named Liang, was the head of an old and respected family of Nankuh-chung. As a concession to Republican ideas, he had sent his daughter to a girls' school in Peking.

Meantime she had been betrothed to the son of his friend Wang, who, like himself, was a farmer of humble but ancient and honourable lineage. To the sorrow of her own family and the horror of her future parents-in-law, Miss Liang, her schooling finished, returned to Nankuh-chung wearing short-sleeved, tight-fitting gowns, her hair bobbed and curled.

These might have been changed, but the girl showed an intractable spirit regarding the time-honoured rituals and taboos of her native hamlet.

Wang conferred bitterly with Liang, and the two agreed that both families had been disgraced. There was only one way to regain honour for the respectable names so besmirched. They took that way. Carrying the girl in a closed sedan chair to a secluded spot in the country, they dug a deep grave and buried her there alive, purging the village of the curls and finery, and the intractable spirit that had presumed to flaunt its freedom in the face of tradition.

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Kwangsi troops are here seen at machine-gun exercises in the neighbourhood of Nanning. (Photo: Far Eastern Pictorial Correspondents).



Pictures shows part of the Kwangsi Army transport service moving out in connection with the defence of the province. (Photo: Far Eastern Pictorial Correspondents).



Officers and men of the Kwangsi Army snapped preparatory to carrying out war exercises. (Photo: Far Eastern Pictorial Correspondents).



General Pei Chung-hsi, Commander-in-Chief of the Kwangsi Army (marked by O), together with the Chief Adviser of the Fourth Regiment, Li Pan-sin (marked with X) and staff officers. (Photo: Far Eastern Pictorial Correspondents).



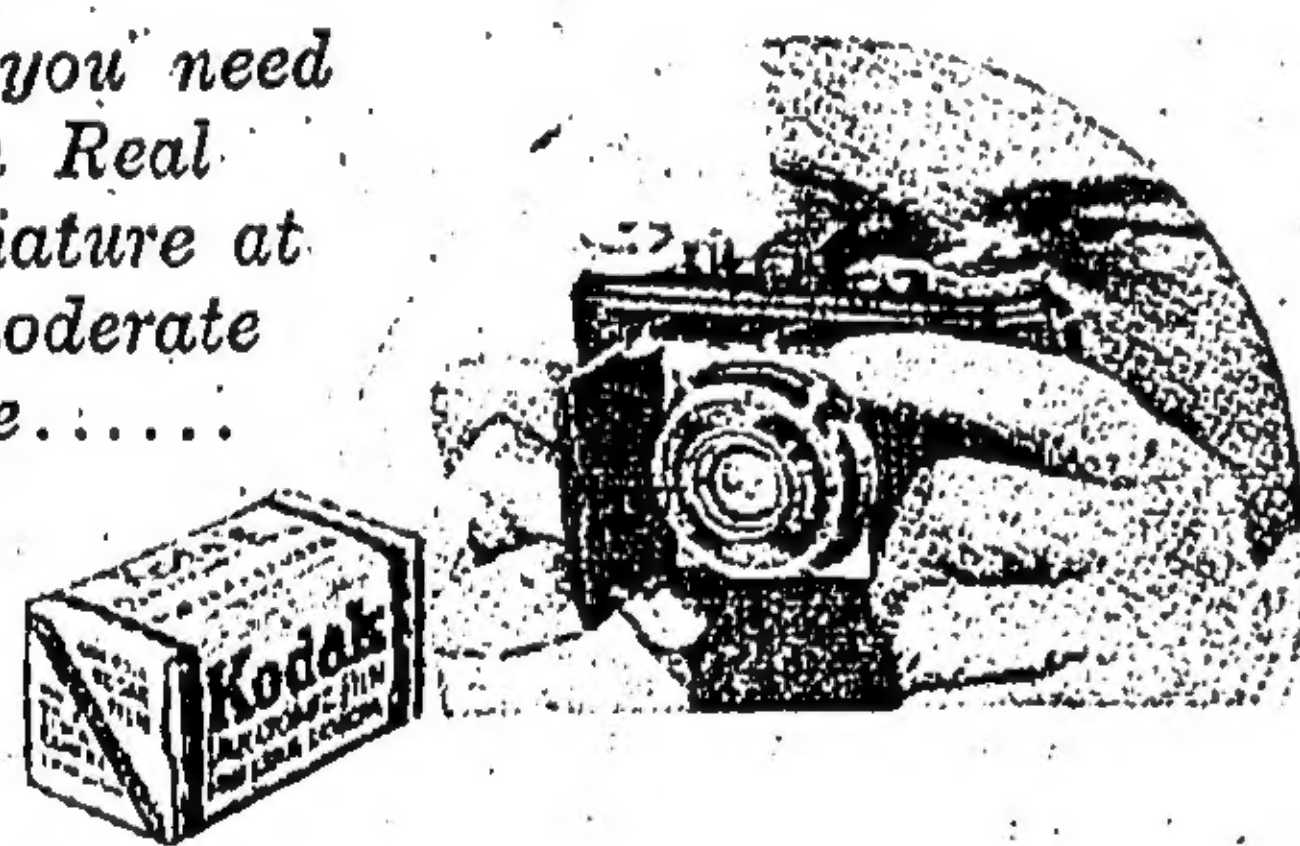
A group of steel-helmeted Kwangsi troops about to move forward to defence positions. (Photo: Far Eastern Pictorial Correspondents).



Mr. Lim Hock-nan and his bride, formerly Miss Betty Chong Se-chin, photographed after their recent wedding. (Photo: Snap Studio, Kowloon).

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Bridal group taken after the wedding at St. Teresa's Church of Mr. Hugh G. Asome and Miss Doris M. Lee. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Seen in the above group taken at Government House, Canton, are General Yen Han-mow, Pacification Commissioner in Kwangtung (marked with O), and General Chan Sang, Commander-in-Chief of the First Route Army, (marked with X). (Photo: by Far Eastern Pictorial Correspondents).

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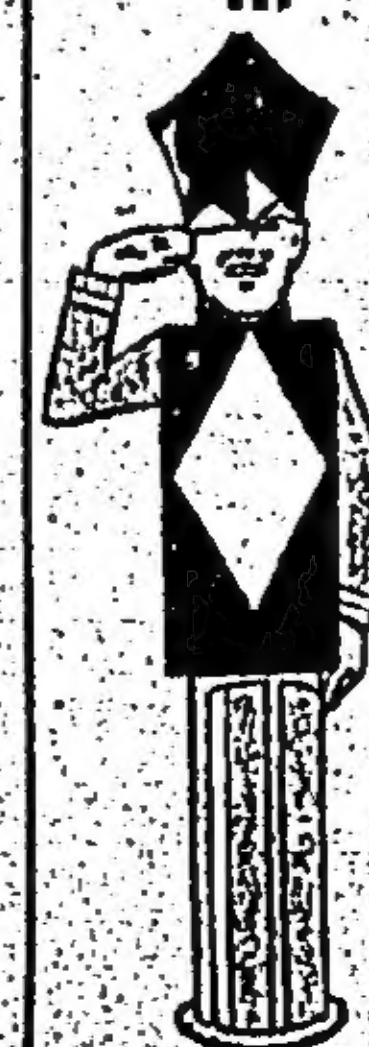
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ENTERTAINMENT PAGE

"FIRST NIGHT" ON FORTHCOMING EVENTS PHILHARMONIC TO START REHEARSALS FOR "MAID OF THE MOUNTAINS"

THIS WILL BE BUMPER YEAR FOR ENTERTAINMENT

ACCORDING to Chinese lunar calendar, to-day is *Li-ch'iu*, the Beginning of Autumn. Perhaps you'll not notice much difference in weather for several weeks to come; nevertheless it is actually the day when people start looking forward hopefully to winter activities.

From now on amateur entertainment clubs and association secretaries, directors and producers will be particularly active.

Here, for instance, is some good news for you about Hongkong Philharmonic Society.

As forecast by Rev. Cyril Brown during stage valedictory to "The Country Girl" last winter, Philharmonic are to produce "Maid of the Mountains" in full costume.

Operetta will be produced at Queen's Theatre during week ending December 19.

Ann Winters, who made sensational local debut in "The Country Girl" will be cast as the Maid, which was played by Jose Collins in original stage production at Home.

Balance of cast not yet decided upon, but understand that Jack Grenham, who also made first Philharmonic appearance with great success, in "The Country Girl" will fill leading comedy role.

Rev. Cyril Brown, who did so well with "Country Girl", is producing "Maid of the Mountains", while musical direction will again be in capable hands of Bandmaster Newell, of East Lanes.

Rumoured that George Goncharoff will arrange Dancing Numbers. Good biz, this, if true.

There'll probably be some changes in this year's Philharmonic.

For instance, it is doubtful whether Bobbie Blake, who was so delightful opposite Jack Grenham in "Country Girl", will be in Colony for "Maid of the Mountains". Understand Miss Blake is leaving Hongkong shortly.

Offsetting Miss Blake's and one or two other departures, however, there's some new arrivals who should prove decided acquisition to Philharmonic circles if they decide to join up.

Philharmonic would do well to approach Mr. E. Warner, of R.A.M.C., whose tenor voice (heard recently over ZBW) is easily the best we've heard in this Colony for many years.

Mrs. L. Blair, one of Hongkong's singers of note, has also returned in time to participate in forthcoming activities, Philharmonic or otherwise.

All in all, Philharmonic are in particularly strong position for forthcoming season, for practically whole of "Country Girl's" cast, which made such good work for last season's production, is available.

Other amateur entertainers are also preparing for what should be bumper entertainment season.

European Y.M.C.A.

EUROPEAN Y.M.C.A. who, for some mysterious reason, have been left to handle Christmas Pantomimes without competition from more powerful rivals, has chosen "Jack and the Beanstalk" for this year's production.

Ordinarily, this Pantomime would have been produced in West Lounge early in December, but in order not to clash with Philharmonic, Y has decided on Christmas week, with five performances.

Will be in charge of ballet; Norcen Cooper and Audrey Steele will probably play Principal Boy and Girl. The "Little Minister" (Rev. J. D. Maclean) is writing the dialogue. Production, as usual, will be in excellent hands of W. Robertson.

Amateur Dramatic

Society

PENDING annual meeting, which will be held later this month, Amateur Dramatic Society have not yet decided on plans for forthcoming season. Understood that several excellent plays are in hand for consideration by incoming Committee, one will probably be chosen at end of month.

Hongkong Singers

OLD records for mass singing will topple when Hongkong Singers take the stage at China Fleet Club at end of October or beginning of November for rendition of an all-Elgar programme. Under-conductorship of Mr. J. Anderson Miller, Singers, whose work in entirely for Charity, have been energetically rehearsing throughout summer in preparation for forthcoming concert.

Elgar's effective Cantata, "King Olaf", will be backbone of two hours programme of choir work by more than 100 singers, assisted by 20 orchestra performers. The cream of Elgar's remaining works have been chosen to fill in remaining 20 minutes of programme, will include "Death on the Hills", "Evening Scene", "Weary Wind of the West", and "Feasting, I Watch the Constellations". In order to choose this portion of programme (lasting 20 minutes) it was necessary for Mr. J. Anderson Miller to examine literally dozens of works.

Selections for "King Olaf" will be by Mr. Anderson Miller, Mr. E. Warner

March Of Time At Queen's

AS exclusively forecast last Saturday "March of Time" news-reel is here.

First of series (No. 9) will be screened at Queen's Theatre tomorrow, in conjunction with "The ex-Mrs. Bradford." Three subjects are listed.

First shows genesis and spread of Townsend plan for giving America's aged over 60 a U.S.\$200 monthly pension for life. "March of Time's" handling of this subject is a valuable commentary on our times and are of genuine world-wide historic interest. Shots showing the aged Townsendites attending meetings have a pathetic and touching quality.

Second subject shows U.S. Secret Service, coastguard and narcotics division co-operating to trap large dope-smuggling ring which last spring flooded United States with heroin. Smashing of the ring, very interestingly re-enacted, also broke up a band which was fomenting a revolution in Honduras.

Japan's civilising activities in Manchuria and her preparations for annexing five northern Chinese provinces make up third subject.

RADIO ZBW GAVE A REAL TREAT LAST NIGHT

BY "FIRST NIGHT"

THANKS to ZBW and Miss Helen O'Brien for one of the finest novelty piano programmes broadcast in Hongkong.

ZBW were lucky to secure Miss O'Brien, an Australian on a short visit to this Colony, and listeners were doubly lucky in having the opportunity of hearing her over the air.

Lots of people in Hongkong don't like "jazzy" music. It's safe to say, however, that broadcasts such as the one given by Miss O'Brien last night will send soaring the number of votes for "Jazz" and "Pianofortes" in the Competition we're concurrently running to find out the most popular items with local listeners.

Incidentally, ZBW have booked Miss O'Brien for two further appearances before the Mike. You'll hear her again on Wednesday, Friday next week. Don't miss these dates with your loud-speaker.

FACTS—Piano music runs in Miss O'Brien's family. She's a cousin of the late Kate de Costa, whose records were often heard from ZBW, both before and after her death a year ago. Like Kate, Helen O'Brien has made several records for Columbia. Her broadcast manywheres, including Australia, Canada, United States, is only one of the things she can do, for she's as much at home with the Mantles.

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A gratifying number of listeners have entered for the Radio Programme Contest, announced on this page last week, for which Messrs. Philco Distributors Ltd., have offered a \$200 receiver as prize. You'll find further information in to-day's issue of the "Telegraph".

The work of tabulating the entries has already commenced, but no announcement will be made until next Saturday. However, it is apparent that some startling upsets will occur when the final figures are announced.

The most gratifying response has been in regard to Suggestions, a large percentage of the entries so far received containing one or two for the improvement of ZBW programmes.

Many of the suggestions are decidedly excellent. Some are almost bound to be adopted by the ZBW authorities, who have expressed official interest in the contest.

Entries will definitely close at 4 p.m. on Tuesday next, August 11, and the prize winner will, it is hoped, be announced on this Page next Saturday.

FILMS

The "Thin Man" Is Here Without His Wife

Film: "The ex-Mrs. Bradford"; Type: Slick Thriller-Comedy; Theatre: Queen's, Commencing To-morrow.

THE "Thin Man" is back again. But William Powell has changed leads since his previous prize-winner, which packed the Star Theatre on its umpteenth run last week, and has substituted Jean Arthur.

"The Ex-Mrs. Bradford" finds William Powell, dreamy-eyed, elegantly-moustached, practicing his marksmanship with a champagne cork as preliminary to a lonely dinner served by his man, Eric Blore. It is a good start. And the pace is kept up by the appearance of Jean Arthur, as the ex-wife, with a friend.

The friend, politely introduced, immediately serves a writ for unpaid alimony. The ex-Mrs. Bradford appears to be a diamond-digging blonde, but do not let the colour of her hair and her innocent-eyes deceive you. She is really in love with the ex-husband. And he loves her.

Their trouble is that he likes a quiet surgical procedure and needs no more excitement than the casual cutting up of his friends, and she, a writer of murder mysteries, has a talent for getting them both mixed in horrific affairs.

Her reappearance coincides with a race-course sensation. The favourite's jockey has fallen off his horse when the race was almost won, and fallen off dead. Heart failure, says the course doctor. But you know, and I know, and the ex-Mrs. Bradford knows, that there's been a hanky-panky somewhere.

And so we all get mixed up with thugs, gangsters, bookmakers, fence-crackers, and detectives (including Jimmy Hearn) in an exciting melodrama pursuit from the morgue to the racetrack.

There are a couple more mysterious murders and several unsuccessful attempts before the ex-Mrs.

Why Did They Change This Title?

FILM: "Trouble For Two"; STARS: Robert Montgomery, Rosalind Russell.

THEATRE: King's, To-morrow.

"TROUBLE for Two," originally titled "Suicide Club" is another of M.G.M.'s two-hour sessions with the English classics. Robert Louis Stevenson's "New Arabian Nights" are such obvious and colourful melodrama that it is surprising that even M.G.M. never noticed them before.

This film contains several of the adventures of the quixotic Prince Florizel, while incognito in London with his aide-de-camp under the patriotic names of Mr. Godsell and Major Hammer-smith.

The macabre fantasy of the Suicide Club, where Regency rakes and rouses blazily arrange their exits by drawing cards for the nightly posts of executioner and victim, is not as grim as it seemed when my eyes bulged over it in a school dormitory, but is an exciting enough background for the startling escapades of Robert Montgomery.

For it is still our debonair, inconsequential Bob in spite of luxuriant curls, mutton-chop whiskers and moustache, and very good it is for him too.

Since we noticed him first as the grinning stool-pigeon of "The Big House," we had begun to fear that he had been reprimanded only for a life sentence in the drawing-room chain-gang.

His adventures have a "serial" quality here and his final rapier duel has a genuine Fairbanks ring. Time and time again we feared that only "To Be Continued" could save him from the lions' cage or the noose the anarchists had strung for him.

But no. The mysterious lady was his princess in disguise, and it all ends happily with a state marriage, a knowing wink and "Kiss Ruritana" fairly making the candelabra chatter.

Rosalind Russell has not very much more to do than look statuesque, but succeeds in looking less like Myrna Loy than usual.

This seems very, very popular stuff, to me.

TESTS ANSWERS

Current Affairs

(1)	4	(11)	5	(21)	2
(2)	2	(12)	2	(22)	5
(3)	1	(13)	2	(23)	4
(4)	3	(14)	5	(24)	2
(5)	4	(15)	4	(25)	4
(6)	4	(16)	3	(26)	3
(7)	3	(17)	4	(27)	1
(8)	2	(18)	4	(28)	4
(9)	5	(19)	5	(29)	1
(10)	1	(20)	5	(30)	2

Observation

Betty Nuthall; King Carol of Roumania; Hitler; Ex-King Alfonso; Jean Harlow; Ex-Kaiser.

Week-End Problems

PROBLEM 1

HOW OLD AM I?

I am 22.

(My brother is 35 and my father 61.)

PROBLEM 2

THE PINKSHIRTS

"Wister's" number was 94. If A = 1, B = 2, C = 3, etc., we have:

HOTSON = 91

WATSON = 92

MOIRIS = 92

SNOOKS = 93

WISTER = 94.

PROBLEM 3

A DOUBLE ACROSTIC

E P I G-RAM

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Notes.—(2) Two meanings.

(3) "The Battle of Waterloo" was won on the playing fields of Eton.

(4) Three meanings.

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CURRENT AFFAIRS TEST

How To Do It

FIVE possible answers are given for each question. You select what you think is the correct answer, and put its number on the line at the right of the number of the question on the answer sheet.

Example: The Prime Minister of Great Britain is (1) MacDonald, (2) Chamberlain, (3) Halifax, (4) Baldwin, (5) Lloyd George.

Baldwin is the correct answer. The number of this question is 1; the number 5 (meaning Baldwin) has been placed at the right of 1 on the answer sheet.

At the end of the Test check your replies with the answers given on Page 2. AND DON'T PEEP.

In our opinion, 20 is a good score, 25 very good indeed. There are no prizes.

Home Affairs

- There has been strong criticism of a speech delivered in Paris by Britain's Secretary of State for War. He is: (1) Lord Halifax, (2) Sir Philip Sassoon, (3) Mr. Runciman, (4) Mr. Duff Cooper, (5) Mr. Malcolm MacDonald.
- The declared policy of the League of Nations Union in regard to the continuance of sanctions has led to the resignation of: (1) Dr. Gilbert Murray, (2) Sir Austen Chamberlain, (3) Mr. H. G. Wells, (4) Mr. Anthony Eden, (5) Lord Beaverbrook.
- Heavy rainfall in the Colony during the early part of the week substantially added to the water supply. The biggest reservoir in Hongkong is Shing Mun which, when completed, will have a storage capacity of approximately: (1) 3,000,000,000 gallons; (2) 1,000,000,000 gallons; (3) 3,000,000 million gallons; (4) 1,000,000 million gallons; (5) 100,000,000 gallons.
- The Socialist winner at the Derby by-election is one of the "Intellectuals" of the party. He is: (1) Capt. Wedgewood Benn, (2) Mr. G. D. H. Cole, (3) Mr. Philip Noel-Baker, (4) Mr. R. H. Tawney, (5) Professor Laski.
- A well-known aviator passed through Hongkong by plane this week. He is: (1) C. W. A. Scott;

- A. K. Ann; (3) Maryse Hillit;
- F. C. Chichester; (5) Clyde Pangborne.

Foreign Affairs

- The re-fortification of the Dardanelles has been permitted by the Powers. The importance of the Dardanelles is that they guard the entrance to: (1) The Caspian Sea, (2) the Red Sea, (3) the White Sea, (4) the Black Sea, (5) the Baltic.
- Much military activity has taken place in China along the banks of the West River. The West River is otherwise known as the: (1) Tung-kiang; (2) Pei-kiang; (3) Si-kiang; (4) Yangtze-kiang; (5) Min-kiang.
- President Roosevelt is the Democratic Party's nominee for a second term of office. The last American President to be elected to that office for two successive terms was: (1) Coolidge, (2) Wilson, (3) Hoover, (4) Taft, (5) Harding.
- Most countries which have representative government have also women's suffrage, but a prominent exception, where there have recently been numerous feminist demonstrations, is: (1) Holland, (2) Spain, (3) Russia, (4) Switzerland, (5) France.

General

- Anticyclone and typhoon figures prominently in the weather reports.

An anticyclone is (1) a system of high pressure, (2) a system of low pressure, (3) the circulation of the air in an unusual direction, (4) the wind blowing from two opposite directions, (5) a lull between two storms.

- A famous ruler of a nation celebrated his birthday on Monday this week. He is: (1) President Roosevelt; (2) King Victor Emmanuel of Italy; (3) the ex-Kaiser of Germany; (4) Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia; (5) King Haakon of Norway.

- Mr. Ely Culbertson is in England. He is famous as (1) a baseball player, (2) contract bridge expert and populariser, (3) crooner and radio entertainer, (4) strip cartoonist, (5) inventor of a new process for producing colour films.

- Last Tuesday was the Anniversary of (1) the birth of the French Republic; (2) Britain's entry into the Great War; (3) the sinking of the Titanic; (4) the assassination of the Austrian Archduke Franz Ferdinand at Sarajevo; (5) the 1906 typhoon in Hongkong, when 10,000 lives were lost.

- To-day is the eighth day of August according to the Gregorian Calendar, and, according to the Chinese Lunar Calendar, the 22nd Day of the (1) First Moon; (2) Third Moon; (3) Nine Moon; (4) Fourth Moon; (5) Sixth Moon.

- A British expedition is exploring Graham Land. This is (1) part of Northern Rhodesia, (2) the Eastern portion of Borneo, (3) the northernmost part of Greenland, (4) land adjacent to the Weddell Sea, (5) part of Tanganyika.

- Permission to shave has been given by the King to a body of men who have hitherto worn beards. These are (1) the Brethren of Trinity House, (2) the Royal Company of Archers, (3) the Yeomen of the Guard, (4) the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, (5) the Honourable Artillery Company.

- Hongkong will celebrate its centenary in 1941. The first Administrator of the Colony, appointed on January 26, 1841, was (1) Sir Henry Pottinger; (2) Maj. Gen. H. W. Whitfield; (3) Sir George Des Voeux; (4) Captain Charles Elliot; (5) Sir Samuel Bonham.

ANSWER SHEET

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SCORE

- "Father Allan's Island" is the story of Eriskay, where a claimant to the English throne landed in 1746. This was (1) Lambert Simnel, (2) William of Orange, (3) "The Old Pretender," (4) "the Young Pretender," (5) Lady Jane Grey.

Arts and Books

- Al Jolson was the star in a film at Queen's Theatre this week. He was born in 1886 in (1) Canada; (2) England; (3) United States; (4) Germany; (5) Russia.

- "I Search for Truth in Russia" is the title of a diary published last month in London, extracts from which were published in the Hongkong "Telegraph" during this week. The author is (1) George Bernard Shaw; (2) Thomas Mann; (3) Sir Philip Gibbs; (4) Martha Blount; (5) Sir Walter Citrine.

- Mr. Gerald Heard has written a popular book about the outer envelope of the earth. This is called (1) the chromosphere, (2) the stratosphere, (3) the bathosphere, (4) the hydrosphere, (5) the kalidosphere.

- The European Y.M.C.A. has announced plans for a Christmas Pantomime this year. Last year the Y.M.C.A. Amateur Dramatics Society played (1) "The Pied Piper"; (2) "Jack and the Beanstalk"; (3) "Robin Hood"; (4) "Puss in the Boots"; (5) "Dick Whittington."

- "Little Miss Nobody", screened at the King's Theatre this week, starred (1) Shirley Temple; (2), Richard Bartholomew; (3) Dickie Moore; (4) Jane Withers; (5) Ann Shirley.

Girls' and Boys' Corner

Dear Kiddies,

Quite a number of entries came in for last week's Competition, in which you were asked to select an advertisement from the "Telegraph" and colour it. Most of you chose the H.B. Beer advertisement, which certainly lent itself excellently to colouring. In two or three entries, the competitors drew the picture as well as colouring it; that wasn't necessary. Still, some of these were quite good.

Taking age and neatness into account, I find, on looking through the entries, that the best effort in the Senior Section was that of a colouring of the "Frigidaire" advertisement sent in by

Daphne Ho (aged 14), 17 Belfran Road, Kowloon Tong; whilst in the Junior Section the winner is

Grace Lau (aged 7), 518 Nathan Road, Kowloon, who chose Caldbeck, Macgregor's advertisement of Dry Sack sherry.

Will the winners call at the "Telegraph" Office for their prizes?

Specially commended for good work are Pauline Strange, Isobel Morrison, Fernando Alves, Celeste Marques, Regina Xavier, Mimi da Rosa, Mary Lau, Ho Shuk-chun and Eileen Grant amongst the Seniors; and Fred Ho, Violetta dos Remedios, Charlie Churn, Corrado Goria, Robert Lau and Louisa da Silva amongst the Juniors.

NEW COMPETITION
Now, children, I'm going to give you something quite new for this week's Competition. I want you all to try to make a cut-out picture. Let me explain how to do it.

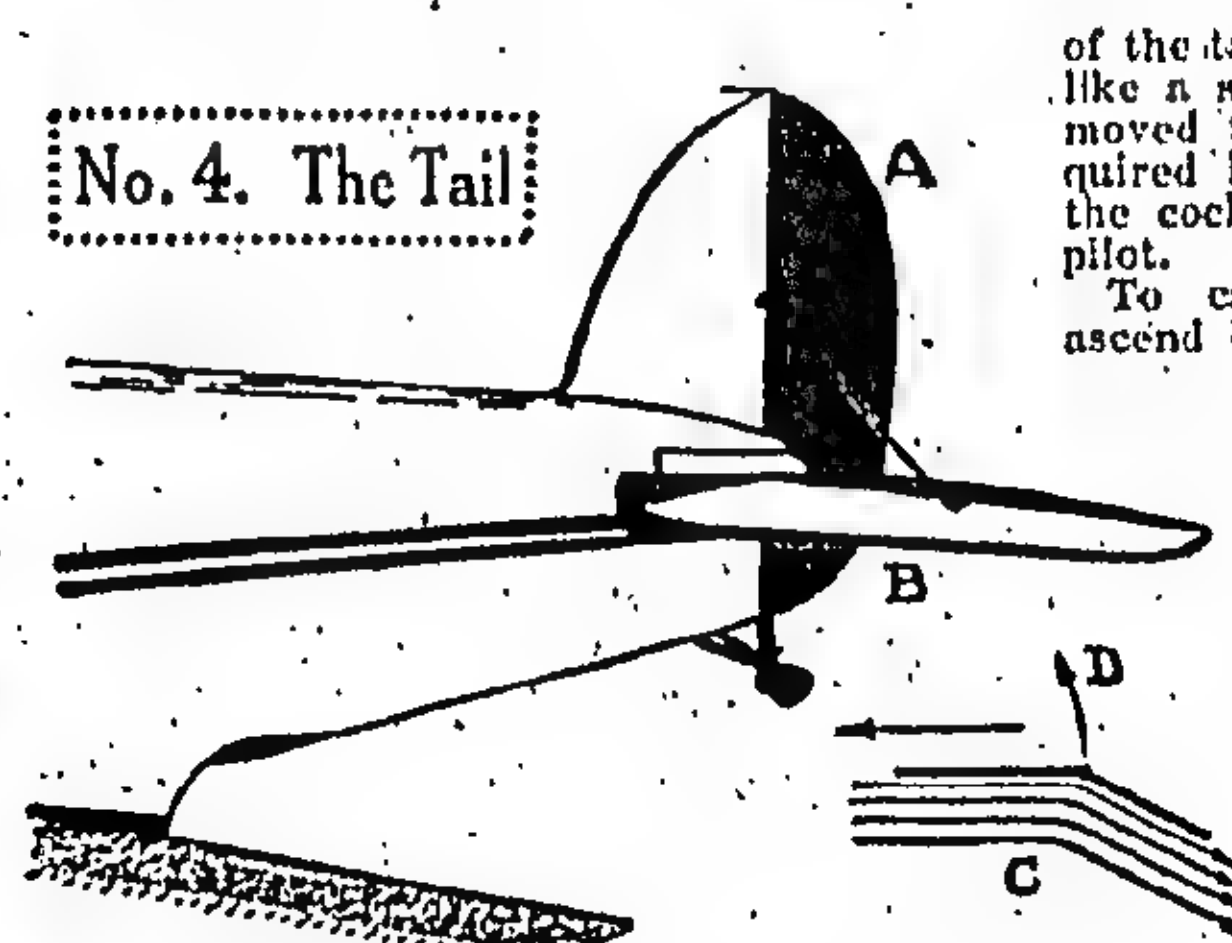
All you have to do is to cut out any parts of pictures appearing in this issue of the "Telegraph" or the Supplement (advertisements or otherwise) and stick them on a piece of paper or cardboard so as to make a complete picture. You should take care to arrange the pieces so that they make a complete scene of some kind.

There will again be two prizes—one for children from 10 to 14 years, and the other for those under 10. These will be awarded for the best pictures sent in, age, of course, being taken into consideration. Now, kiddies, see how good a job you can do.

Entries, which should be addressed to Uncle Eddie, c/o "Hongkong Telegraph," must be sent in by 4 p.m. on Wednesday.

UNCLE EDDIE.

How an Aeroplane Works



IT is by means of the tail that an aeroplane is steered and made to go up or down.

The steering is done with the Rudder A, which is the vertical part

of the tail. This is hinged just like a ship's rudder, and is moved to left or right as required by means of pedals in the cockpit operated by the pilot.

To cause the machine to ascend or descend, the Elevators B are brought into use. These form the horizontal part of the tail and the pilot controls them by means of the "joy-stick."

The way in which both the rudder and the elevators do what is required can be followed from the diagram C. When either of them is moved into such a position as

that shown, they present an obstruction to the air which strikes the rudder or elevator and forces the tail end of the aeroplane round or up as indicated by the arrow D and this makes the nose point in the required direction.

Look out for more of this series next week.

WHEN THEY WERE VERY YOUNG

A New

OBSERVATION TEST

Many Hongkong people have written in about the current affairs Test. So here is a new one—an Observation Test.

Pictures are given here of seven children. They are now men and women, their names known to everybody. Clues are given under each picture. Who are they? Answers on Page 2.

Consolation Thought: This is more entertainment than a real test of your observation powers. Few people can get more than two correct answers.



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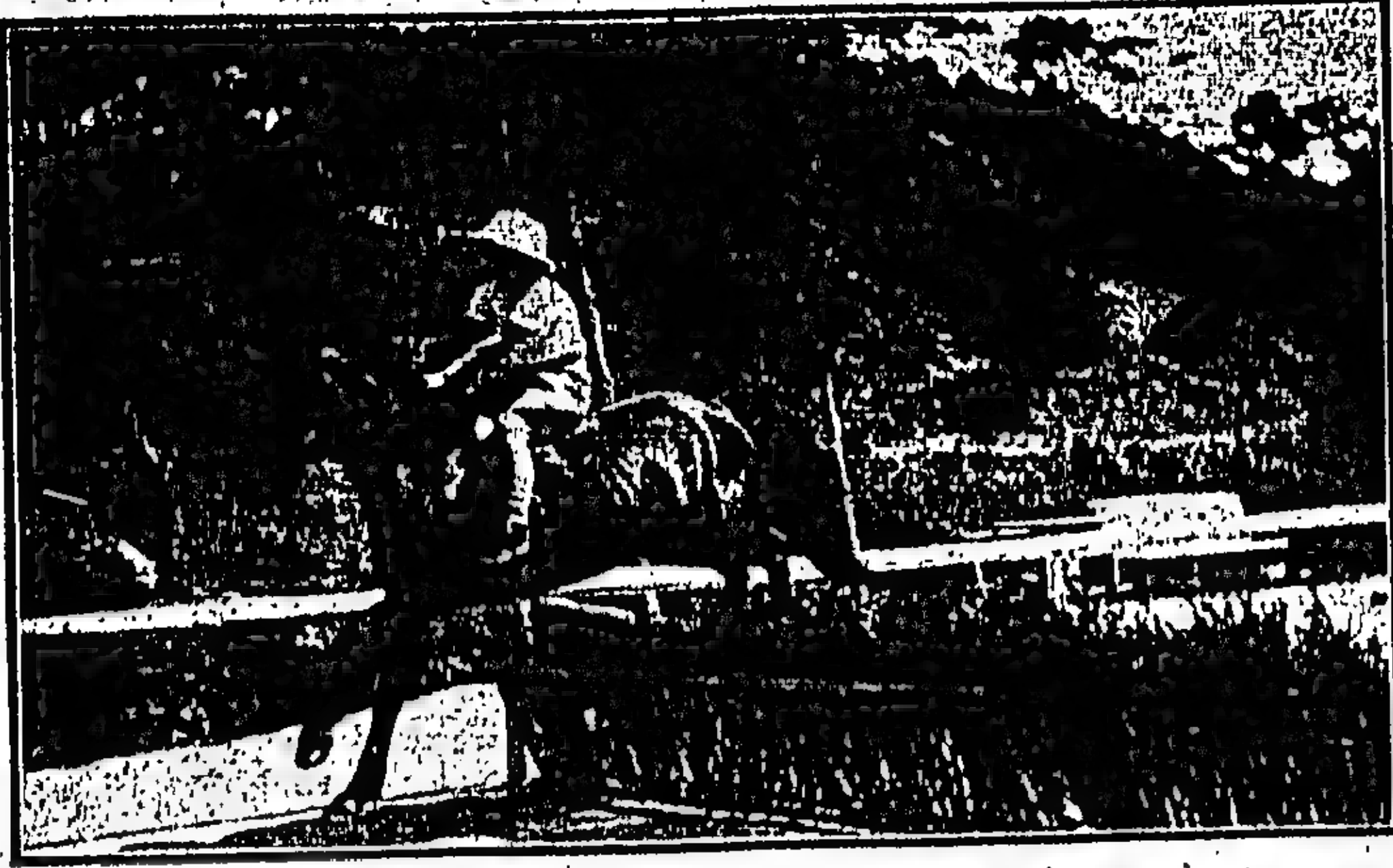
SUMMER NIGHT DANCES WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS

In the event of inclement weather these dances will take place at the Repulse Bay Hotel.

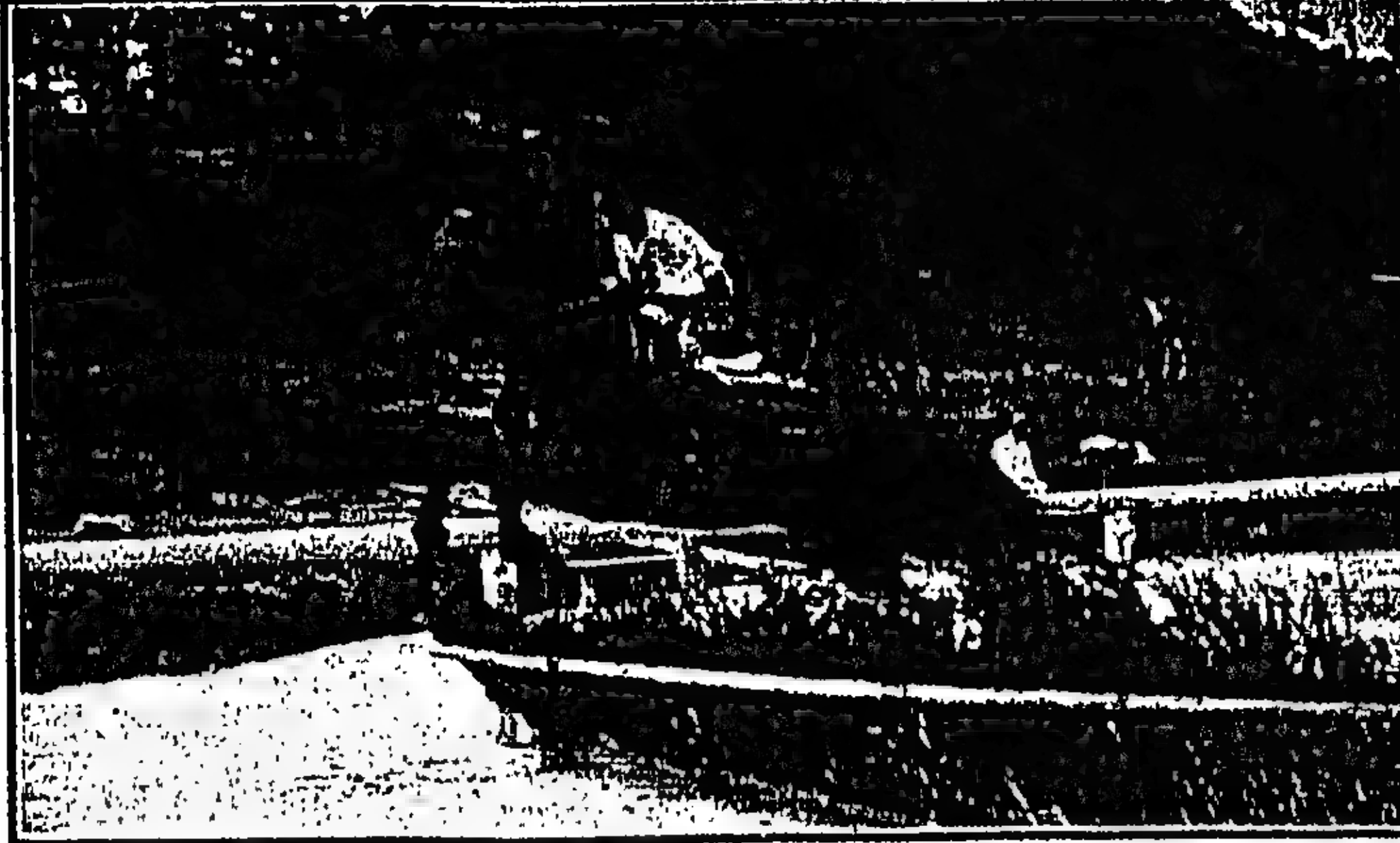
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A young horseman, pupil of Bob Charles, chief riding instructor at the Hongkong Riding School, negotiates the fence.



Above and at right are seen two more of Mr. Charles' pupils going through their paces.

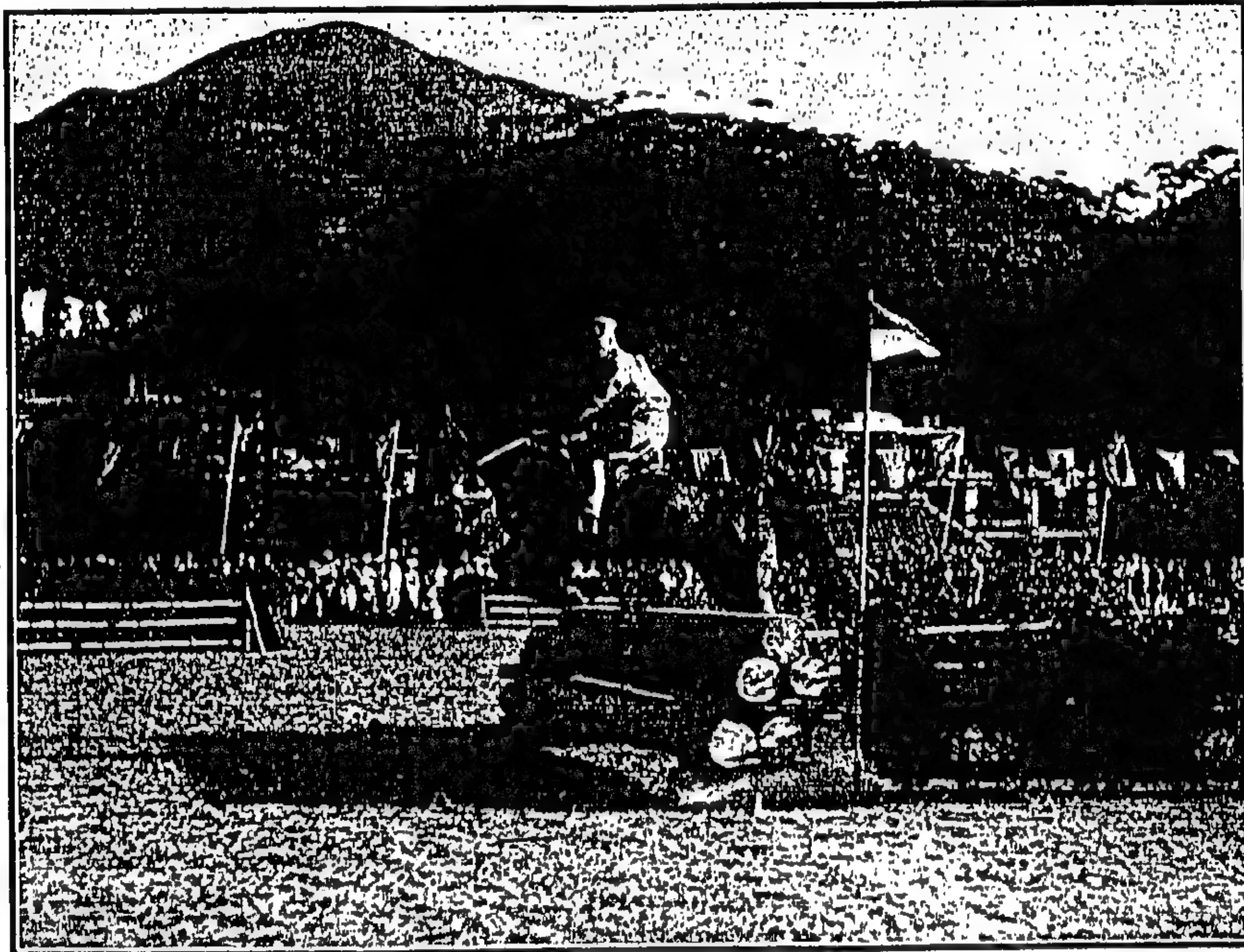


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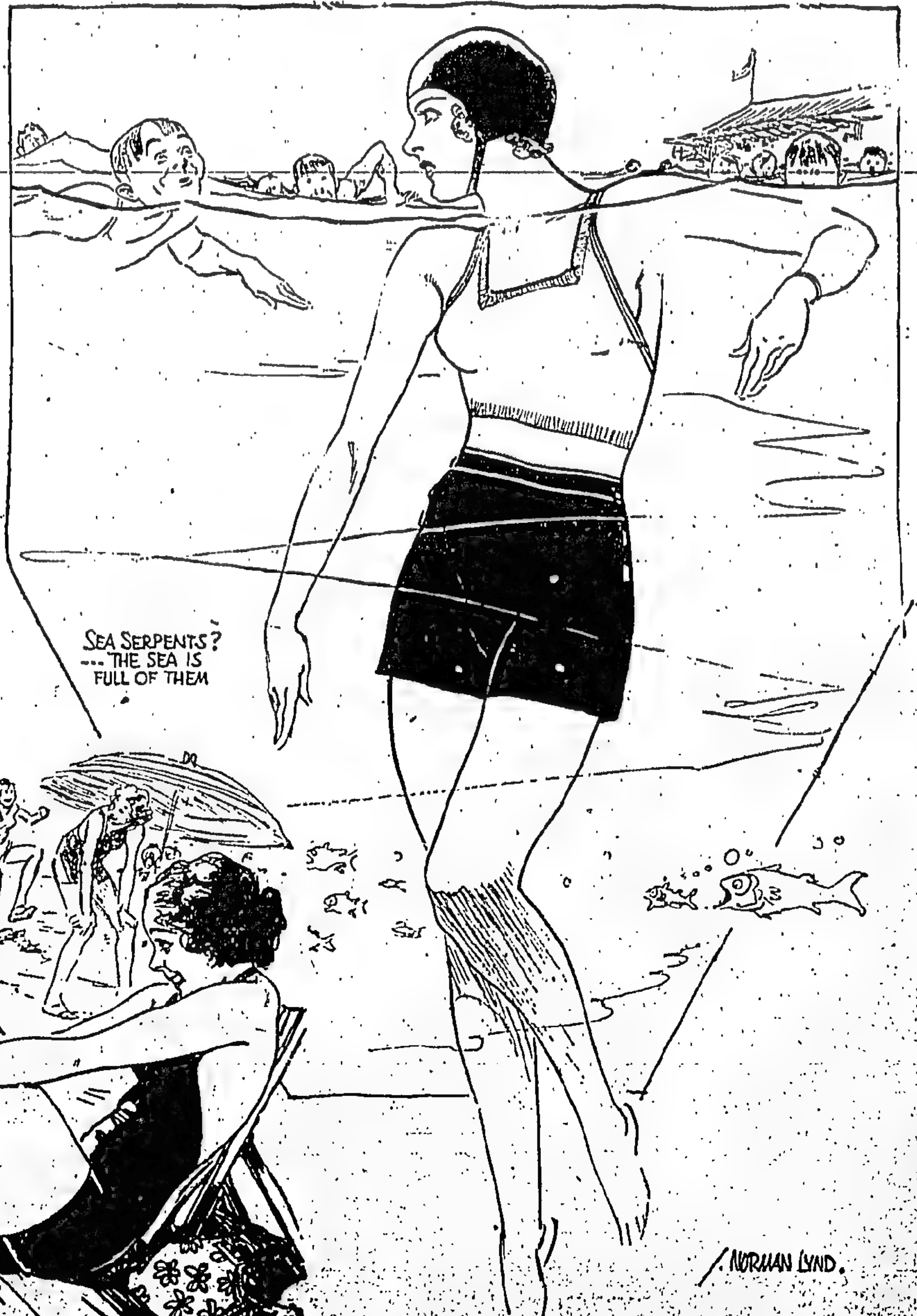
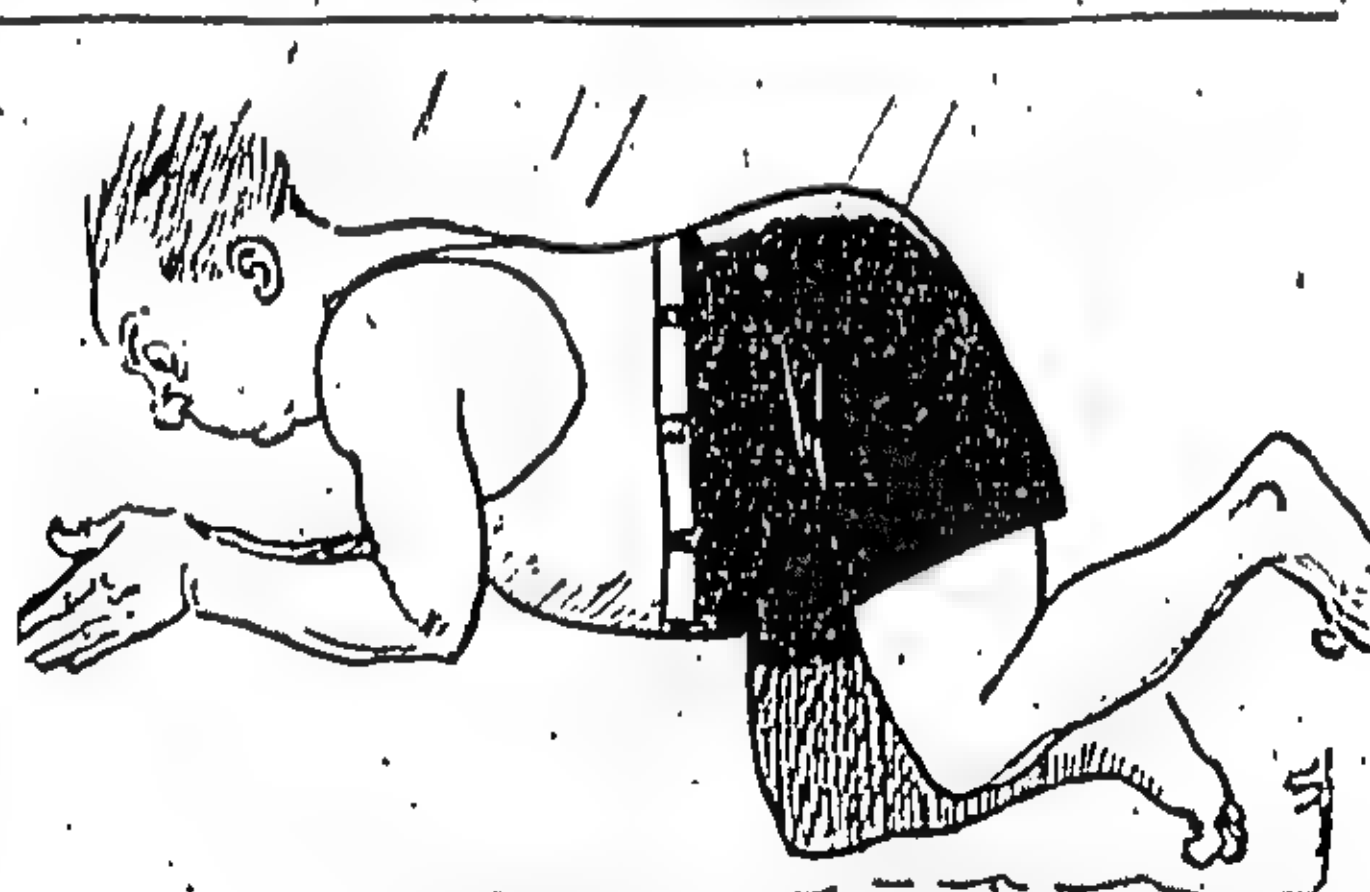
On the Beach

VIGNETTES OF LIFE
By J. NORMAN LYND



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WORDS TO THAT EFFECT."

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NORMAN LYND

New Hope For Kai Tak As Far Eastern Terminal PAN-AMERICAN AIRWAYS MAY LAND 'PLANES IN HONGKONG

NEGOTIATIONS MAY SATISFACTORILY END SOON, SAYS LOCAL OFFICIAL

CLOSING FORTY-MILE GAP IN ANGLO-AMERICAN SERVICE AROUND THE WORLD

"Telegraph" Special Representative

Although preparations at the Pan-American Airways seaplane base at Macao are almost completed, there is every possibility that Hongkong will become the Asia terminal for the contemplated trans-Pacific air service.

Last week the "Telegraph" published a letter message from Shanghai, stating that Pan-American Airways had found the concessions which the Hongkong Government were demanding in return for landing rights so excessive that they had decided against this Colony.

This report was officially denied yesterday during the course of an interview I had with the Hon. Mr. R. A. C. North, the Colonial Secretary.

"Negotiations between the Hongkong Government and Pan-American Airways are now progressing," said Mr. North. "Although I am not yet in a position to make an official statement, it is hoped that satisfactory arrangements for the landing of Pan-American planes at Hongkong will shortly be made."

The Shanghai report stated that direct air-mail communication between the United States and Asia with Macao serving as the Far Eastern terminus, would be inaugurated on September 1. This report has also been denied by Pan-American officials in New York.

The Hongkong Telegraph yesterday despatched a further cable to New York, requesting information from Pan American Airways regarding the probable extension of their existing service from California to Manila to the Chinese mainland.

Although confirming the denial that the Company intended to inaugurate a Manila-Macao service on September, no further information, however, was forthcoming.

Six months ago, despairing of agreement with the British authorities in London, who refused permission for landing facilities in Hongkong, Pan-American Airways commenced construction of an airport in Macao. The radio-beacon station has already been completed and the entire airport is now almost ready for use.

Urgent representations, it is understood, were made to the Colonial Office by the Hongkong Government regarding the danger of Hongkong becoming isolated by the policy adopted by the British Government.

LONDON'S POLICY

The London policy was dictated, it is believed, by a desire to obtain reciprocal landing rights from the United States Government for a trans-Atlantic service.

These landing rights have now been secured, and a trans-Atlantic service, operated jointly by Imperial Airways and Pan-American Airways, will link Europe and America almost as soon as Pan-American Airways links America and Asia.

When these two services come into operation it will be possible for a Hongkong traveller to voyage around the world entirely by air. With Macao as the Oriental terminus.

ZBW STAR



Miss Helen O'Brien, whose novelty piano numbers delighted Z.B.W. listeners last night. She will be heard again next week. Photo. — Ming Yuen, Photo.

minutes, however, a passenger making such a flight would be forced to travel the last 40 miles (from Macao to Hongkong) by river boat.

AROUND THE WORLD

If and when the Hongkong Government and Pan-American Airways reach an agreement, a Hongkong round-the-world air tourist would be able to travel around the world in 12 days, the time-table being as follows:

Hongkong to London (Imperial Airways) 5 days
London to New York (Joint Service) 2 ..
New York to San Francisco (Imperial) 1 ..
San Francisco to Hongkong 1 ..

Mr. H. M. Bixby, General Manager in the Far East for Pan American Airways, recently flew from Manila to San Francisco in order to confer with local officials regarding the trans-Pacific service.

He returned to Manila by air last week, and is due to arrive in Hongkong next week, when he will presumably confer with the Hongkong Government.

CHINESE AIRWAYS TOO

It is understood that negotiations are also proceeding between the British Government, through its Ambassador in Nanking, and the Chinese Government, with a view to inducing Chinese internal aviation concerns to utilise Kai Tak Airport.

This is understood to apply particularly to the Chinese National Airways Corporation's services. It is noteworthy that Pan-American Airways have a minority interest in the capital of this concern, which maintains, among others, a regular service between Canton and northern centres in China.

TAIPAN'S WEDDING LAST THURSDAY



Bridal group taken after the wedding, at the Hongkong Union Church on Thursday, of Mr. William A. Stewart, managing director of Davis, Hoag and Co., Ltd., and Miss Sylvia May Browning. (Photo: Kohns).

Radio Competition

HAVE YOU SENT IN YOUR ENTRY YET?

HAVE you entered your vote in the ZBW competition.

The reader who correctly gauges public opinion will win a handsome Philco medium wave superhet receiver, valued at \$200.

There is no entry fee. All you have to do is fill in, in the coupon below, the names of the ten items you would best like to hear from ZBW.

If your views coincide with those of the majority of voters, the Philco receiver will be yours, subject to the rules printed below.

Read the rules carefully, and then send in your entry. More than one entry, naturally, can come from the same household, but no competitor is allowed to submit more than one individual entry.

The competition will close at 4 p.m. on Tuesday next.

FILL IN THIS COUPON TO RECORD YOUR VOTE

Vote 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 in your order of preference. Each No. 1 vote will receive 10 points, each No. 2 vote nine points, each No. 3 vote eight points and so on. Your ballot MUST be marked with the figures 1 to 10.

You need not necessarily choose the items given below, which have been arranged alphabetically. Other suggested items are given, but you are at liberty to insert any further item you would like to record. Address all entries to Editor, "Hongkong Telegraph," marked "Radio Vote."

VOTE FOR TEN ITEMS ONLY

- ... Classical Programmes
- ... Dance Music
- ... Daventry Relays (Dance)
- ... Daventry Relays (Sporting)
- ... Daventry Relays (General)
- ... Grand Opera
- ... Hongkong Hotel Relays
- ... Light Opera
- ... Military Bands
- ... Orchestral Music
- ... Pianoforte Recitals
- ... Rotary Club Relays
- ... Studio Talks
- ... Variety Programmes

NAME (block letters)

ADDRESS

RULES

- 1.—Entrants are required to vote for 10 items, using the numbers "1" to "10". Only one coupon may be submitted by each entrant.
- 2.—The entrant who forecasts in their correct order the final ten items chosen by voters will win the prize. In the event of no entrant correctly forecasting the final vote, the prize will go to the entrant whose forecast is nearest to the correct vote.
- 3.—In the event of a tie, the prize will go to the entrant who, in the opinion of the judges, makes the most constructive suggestion regarding ZBW programmes. The two judges will be Mr. Rakusec, Manager in Hongkong for Moore, Philco Radio Distributors, and the Editor of the Hongkong "Telegraph".

Entries should be forwarded to the Hongkong "Telegraph," Wyndham Street, Hongkong. Envelopes should be plainly marked "Radio Vote."

- 4.—The competition will close at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, August 11 and results will be published on the following Saturday.
- 5.—The form printed in the "Telegraph" must be used in submitting votes. However, a separate sheet of paper (with entrant's name and address clearly written upon it) must be used in submitting suggestions for the improvement of ZBW programmes.
- 6.—Members of the Staff of the South China Morning Post or Hongkong Telegraph and their relatives will not be allowed to compete.

RADIO BROADCAST

Relay of Dance Orchestra
From Peninsula Hotel

RECORDED PROGRAMME

From Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles):
4.7 p.m. Chinese Programme.
7 p.m. The Madrid Symphony Orchestra.

Suite Iberia (Albeniz, arr. Arbos);
Danza Espanola No. 6 (Granados).
7.25 p.m. Songs by Derek Oldham (Tenor).

1. Whisper in your dreams; 2. Rose Marie; 3. Castles in the Air; 4. Always.
7.38 p.m. Waltzes and Marches.
Hosts of the South—Waltz (Strauss); Vienna Bon Bons—Waltz (Strauss); El Abanico March (arr. Humel); Under the Banner of Victory March (Von Blon); Wine, Women and Song—Waltz (Strauss); Grand March—Le Prophete (Meyerbeer).
8 p.m. Time, weather and announcements.

8.05 p.m. A Variety Programme.
Piano Solos—Charlie Kunz Medley No. 2; Vocal—Chloe (Song of the Swamp)... The Radio Three; Song—Ta Main (Hands across the Sea) Solos—Mlle. Lucienne Boyer; Organ Solos—The New Moon; One Kiss ("The New Moon") Reginald Koor; Song—Indian Love Call ("Rose Marie")... Joan Cross (Soprano); Violin Solo—Grinning... Albert Sandler; Song—I'm Still high on a Hill Top; My Shadow's where my sweetheart used to be... Sam Brown; Piano Solos—Charlie Kunz Medley No. 4; Song—Bird on the Wing; With all my heart... Robert Ashley; Vocal Duets—Let's lay our heads together... Frances Day and Arthur Knicker; Instrumental—Rolling Home... The Eight Piano Symphony; Band—Riding the Range in the Sky; In a Gypsy Caravan... Primo Scala's Accordion Band.
9 p.m. Daventry News Bulletin and announcements.
9.20 p.m. Hawaiian Melodies. Rosetta; The Winter Waltz; Oh! Rosetta.
9.30 p.m. Dance Orchestra from the Peninsula Hotel Rose Room.
10 p.m. Big Ben from Daventry.
10.55 p.m. A Relay from Daventry.
A commentary on the Olympic Games from the Olympic Stadium, Berlin.
11.25 p.m. Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Grill Room.
12 midnight. Close Down.

NOTE:—There will be a Chinese recorded programme from Z.B.W. on a frequency of 640 kilocycles from 8-10.30 p.m.

SUNDAY'S BROADCAST

Relay of R.U.R. Band From Cathedral Hall

RECORDED PROGRAMME

9.10-10 a.m. Military Parade Service from St. John's Cathedral.
10 a.m. Close Down.
11 a.m.-12.15 p.m. Morning Service from St. John's Cathedral.
12.15-2.30 p.m. Recorded Programme.

12.15 p.m. "Concerto No. 1 in G Minor" (Max Bruch, Op. 20) played by Master Yehudi Menuhin (Violin) and the London Symphony Orchestra.
12.40 p.m. Vocal Items from Operas.
"Pagliacci" (Leoncavallo)—Prologue "A Word Allow me!" A Song of tender memories... Apollo Granforte (Baritone); "The Italian and Song" (Wagner)—Linda's Love Song... Nanny Larsen-Todsen (Soprano); "La Boheme" (Puccini)—(Continued on Page 5.)

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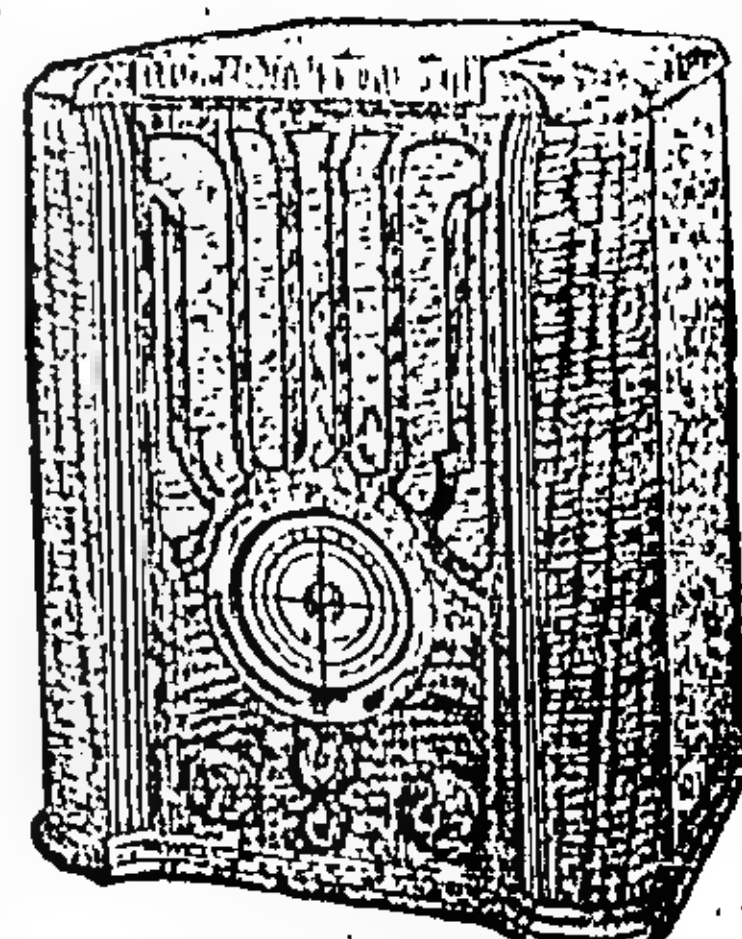


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"What time did I come in, Hawkins?"

"I really couldn't say to the minute, Sir. After the milk, if I may say so, Sir. But definitely before the first post."

"I stuck to Gimlets faithfully last night and I feel as though I'd gone to bed at 10 o'clock on a glass of milk."

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INTERESTING CASE COMES UP IN SURREY

A case in which it was alleged that 750 cockerels crowing throughout the night forced neighbours of a poultry farm at Egham, Surrey, to close their bedroom windows, stuff their ears with cotton wool, and pull the bed-clothes over their heads in a vain endeavour to shut out the noise, came before Mr. Justice Greaves Lord in the King's Bench Division, London, last month.

Mr. John Albert Leeman, of Thorpe Cottage, Thorpe, Surrey, applied for an injunction to restrain the Hon. Gerald Samuel Montagu from committing a nuisance, the nuisance being the noise created by having a large number of cockerels on his land, and, in particular, on that part of his land adjoining the property of the plaintiff.

Mr. John W. Morris, K.C., for Mr. Leeman, said that Mr. and Mrs. Leeman bought their house for £4,600 in September last year.

The cockerels were in such numbers and collected in such a way that the noise by day and night was quite intolerable. The enjoyment of the plaintiff's property was seriously impaired, and it would be quite impossible to go on unless something were done.

The Judge—You must not think that I am in any way prejudging your case, but to one brought up in the country it seems a little extraordinary. I do not know what one is to do. Must one kill the cockerels within a day of their birth or what?

Mr. Morris—I appreciate that, but in this case there are about 750 of them. This is not an ordinary case of the noise of the country, which one expects. It is a case in which you have this large number of cockerels in a particular place. They ought to be somewhere else.

"NOISE QUITE INTOLERABLE"

The Judge—But people in the country have nowhere else, except on the farm. I know it is a fact that rearing poultry is one of the few things left to the farmer.

Mr. Morris—That is so, but the evidence I am hoping to call before your Lordship is that it is virtually impossible to get any sleep in the plaintiff's house, and by day the noise is quite intolerable.

Mr. Morris said the plaintiff and his wife were unable to sleep the first night when they arrived at their new home and found the cockerels roosting in the branches of the trees of

the orchard nearby. They were given no sort of housing, but were left to roost on perches between the trees. That in itself was not usual.

The Judge—Poultry are not like children, you know. You cannot drive them into their houses at night; you can trap them there sometimes.

When the plaintiff interviewed the defendant, said Mr. Morris, he told them he had 750 cockerels, but was selling them and hoped that they would all be gone at the end of the month.

Plaintiff's went away for a few days, but when they came back the position was as bad as before. It was so bad that they had to try all sorts of devices to try to get sleep. They put cotton wool in their ears, they closed the windows of their bedrooms—a very unpleasant thing to have to do—they even tried covering themselves over with their bed-clothes. But, try as they would, it was impossible to exclude the noise of these cockerels.

Mr. Morris read letters which passed between Mr. Leeman and defendant. He said they did not wish to simply to prevent what he hoped to prove was an interference with the ordinary use of their property.

Mr. Morris added that gramophone records had been made of the noise, and arrangements made to reproduce the noise in Court.

"ALL CROWING TOGETHER"

Mr. Leeman, giving evidence, said he took over the house in September

1935. On the first night he was kept awake by the incessant crowing. It was like a screeching noise—like a pack of wolves in full cry. During the day there were only a few cockerels crowing, but at night they were all crowing together.

Mr. Archer, cross-examining, read a letter written by Mr. Leeman in which he said that Mr. Montagu's original statement that the nuisance would cease by the end of November had not been realized and that he asked for all the cockerels to be removed within 14 days.

The Judge—For cockerels to be removed within 14 days would be country life without its charms. (Laughter.) Are you not using all through the language of exaggeration?

Plaintiff—I have been very distressed and upset about this noise. When one cannot get sleep one is worried by it, and one might use certain expressions which do exaggerate.

Mr. Archer pointed out that the plaintiff, in his diary, expressed a strong desire to shoot the beasts. Mr. Leeman agreed, and said he was very enraged.

GRAMOPHONE RECORDS MADE

Horne L. Day, a recording engineer, gave evidence that he prepared records of the sounds that he had heard. He made the recording in the corner of the garden of plaintiff's house at 3.10 a.m. and 4.30 a.m., and in Mr. Leeman's bedroom at 3.15 a.m. and 4.30 a.m. The records were in Court and could be played.

When Mr. Morris asked for the

records to be played Mr. Archer objected on a question of inadmissibility. Its cogency, he contended, was nil, and the volume of sound could be regulated.

The Judge said that to reproduce them properly they must be reproduced in the conditions under which they were taken.

Mr. Morris (to the Judge)—If it is permissible, and if you would like to accept the hospitality of a party to the action, he would be delighted to offer you the best bedroom in the house. (Laughter.)

The Judge—I am not disposed to accept it.

In reply to Mr. Morris, who asked Mr. Day what sort of noise he heard at 2.30 in the morning, Mr. Day said that there were two or three crows at intervals, and they started in chorus, going up to numbers which were impossible to count. The noise got so loud and it was so disturbing to the ear that it actually gave one a headache to listen to it. The noise continued from the time that he was there until the time he left, which was six o'clock in the morning.

WITNESS'S COMPARISON

The Judge—Have you any idea how many there were?

Mr. Day—No. It was impossible to say. It was simply a screech that the ear could not possibly accommodate.

Mr. Day said that on the following day it was difficult to get the noise of the birds out of his head.

In answer to Mr. Morris, Mr. Day said—"The only opinion I can give by way of comparison is for two or three people blowing cornets, and one or two are slightly out of tune, and you are standing fairly near. I think if I had a night or two there it would put me to sleep altogether."

The Judge—I gather you do not like cornets.

His Lordship suggested later that an adjustment might have been arrived at. The matter, he said, was a serious one to poultry farmers. Mr. Montagu, in reply to Mr. Archer, said that he had been carrying on business at his poultry farm since 1918.

Mr. Archer—Is there anywhere else you could put the cockerels?—There is not. If I could have obtained more land I would have been very glad to have done it. I do not see any corner to which I could transfer the cockerels.

MAIN SOURCE OF REVENUE

As you see it at the moment, if the cockerels have to be moved elsewhere, or very substantially reduced in number, that would mean relinquishing the farm—I see no possibility of continuing it.

Mr. Montagu further said that the sale of pedigree cockerels, in which he specialised, was his main source of revenue. If he were to reduce the numbers the revenue he derived would not make it worth while carrying on the farm.

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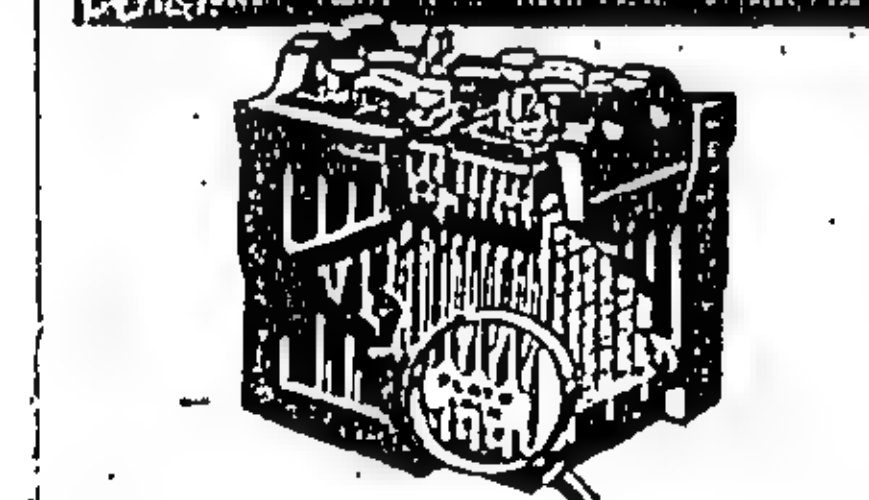
—IN VAIN

New York, Aug. 7. WHEN the liner Queen Mary sailed for England last week, the name of the Rev. Samuel Parkes Cadman, the Dick Sheppard of U.S. radio, appeared in the passenger list. But he never sailed.

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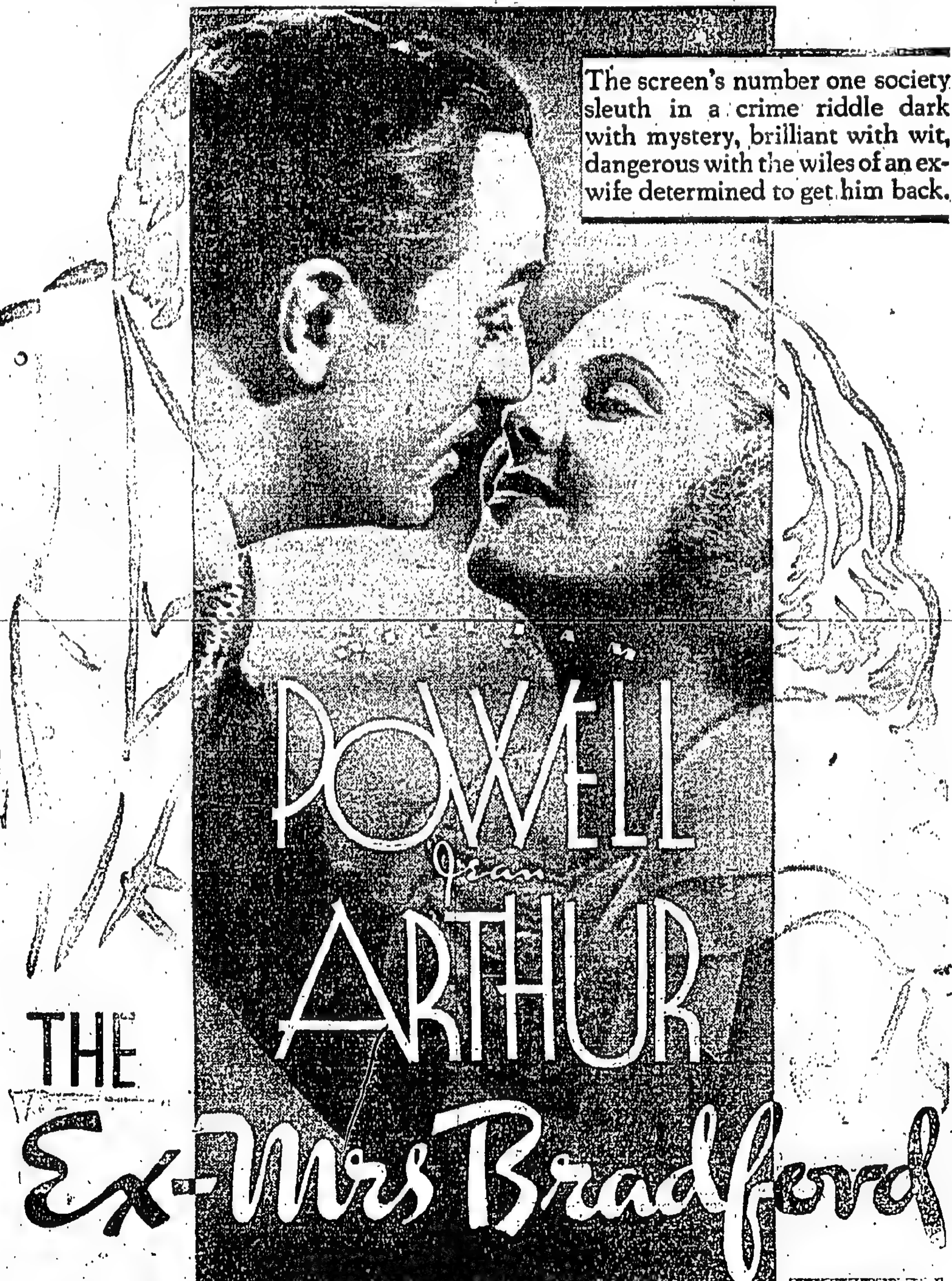
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SECRET OF TWO SEA GIANTS

Scientists Follow The Cosmic Ray

Germany To Challenge France

Pasadena, Calif., July 20.
The trail of the mysterious Cosmic ray, sub-atomic bullets that pepper the earth and its inhabitants from some unknown source in the outer reaches of space, has turned toward Panama and the equatorial belt.

Two young scientists—"ray hunters" for Dr. Robert A. Millikan of the California Institute of Technology—headed southward with five tons of baggage, consisting chiefly of ponderous magnetic equipment in which to trap the little-known sub-atomic particles.

Dr. Millikan announced the latest expedition in search of the origin of the billion-volt particles, which rain down upon the earth's surface with a charge 10,000 times greater than any previously known rays, in a talk before the American Institute of Electrical Engineers in session here.

50,000 PHOTOGRAPHS

The purpose of experiments on the equator, in which approximately 50,000 photographs of cosmic rays will be shot through a special device developed by Dr. Millikan and Dr. Carl D. Anderson, will be to determine the effect of the blanket of magnetic resistance around the earth in the region of its greatest intensity.

Last summer the cumbersome instrument, which is merely a vapour tube set within a powerful magnetic field energized by portable generators, was hauled up Pike's peak for high altitude photographs. Strange pictures were developed, one showing a shower of atomic particles blasted out of the nucleus of an atom which, measured by the bend in the path, were estimated carrying a charge of 20,000,000,000 electronic volts.

POWERFUL RAYS

Dr. Millikan explained that this figure compares with 2,600,000 electronic volts measured in Gamma rays, of radium, the most powerful rays previously measured and approximately 200,000 electronic volts measured in the ordinary x-ray.

The tremendously powerful cosmic ray, "discovered" about five years ago, have lent science on its most tantalizing search since Young developed the new out-moded "wave theory" of light 100 years ago.

"We speculated about cosmic rays, and I was one of the worst speculators," Dr. Millikan told the electrical engineering group. "We found we could not resolve the problem until we could measure the power of the rays."

"RAY TRAP"

Dr. Anderson's "ray trap" is the answer. Dr. Millikan explained they had "hoped to develop a magnet that would measure up to 1,000,000,000 electronic volts."

By photographing the path of the atomic particle, blasted out of an atomic nucleus, as the cosmic ray shoot through the vapour chamber,

EFFECT OF TOO MUCH HOMEWORK ON SCHOOL-CHILDREN

As the result of an enquiry among parents carried out by Dr. Martin, a well known Sydney psychologist, the following facts were discovered:
Girls between the ages of 11 and 14 studying for the Intermediate examination were required to do two and a half hours of work each night and to carry books weighing from 9 to 12 lbs. Those in the leaving examination classes have to spend up to 5 hours a night in study and their books weighed from 15 to 18 lbs. Their working hours, in many instances, he pointed out in *Austral News*, totalled more than those of their fathers and elder brothers.

Doctors Say—

TWENTIETH-CENTURY DISEASES WILL DIE

Chicago, Aug. 1.
Diseases die too, as well as their victims, and the day may come when man no longer will be plagued by tuberculosis, diphtheria, typhoid and syphilis, the *Journal of the American Medical Association* reports.

For pessimists, the *Journal* points out that new diseases doubtless will arise to replace them but recognition by modern science that new life may have a "life span" and so can be detected and guarded against in the beginning of their evolution may save future generations.

"The life history of a disease is often like that of a human being," the *Journal* said. "Its weak or infirm infancy is at first greeted with mild speculation. As it gradually grows, it develops the proportions of a young adult and abundant vigour. Finally after varying periods of strength, the old age and decline of a disease may begin to occur. In some instances it finally disappears."

SWEATING SICKNESS

Thus, the *Journal* recalled, the so-called sweating sickness, from which

the curve of the bend can be measured, representing the repellant between the direction of the magnetic field and the direction of the ray.

By measuring the bend, the electronic voltage of the ray can be determined. In the case of the single 20,000,000,000 volt ray, a shower of more than 100 particles were blasted out of the nucleus, ranging from 60,000,000 to 1,500,000,000 electronic volts in each particle.

Dr. Millikan said the Pike's Peak experiments showed rays, including rare "Cosmic ray showers," are far more powerful than at sea levels. These results will be compared with photographs taken by Dr. Anderson and Dr. Seth H. Neddermeyer, his assistant, at Panama, where the magnet and vapour tube will be mounted at the U. S. Naval submarine base. —*United Press*.

scarcely one person in a hundred escaped, swept over England in the reign of Henry VIII. Within 22 days in 1529, 1,100 inhabitants of Hamburg died of it. It is no longer known.

The *Journal* mentioned other diseases now unknown, among them the Petchial fever of Italy and the Tanatosis of the Middle Ages, "believed by many to result from the bite of a spider."

In tantem the patient was seized with "great difficulty of breathing, a heavy anguish of heart, a prodigious sadness, his voice is sorrowful and querulous, his eyes disturbed."

The *Journal* cited the decline of Bubonic plague, leprosy, cholera, and ergotism in more recent times. Leprosy "will probably never again terrify the world as it has in the past," it said, and ergotism is almost extinct. But bubonic plague, man-made, warned, "may yet show sufficient life to invade civilized communities once more in epidemic proportions."

LESS FREQUENT

"In relatively recent years," the *Journal* continued, "there has been definite evidence of a decline in frequency of a large group of other diseases. Typhoid, tuberculosis, diphtheria and probably syphilis are less frequent or less generally virulent than some one or two hundred years ago."

"Part of this change must be assigned to sanitary measures and improved treatment, but part, especially for syphilis and probably diphtheria, may be due to increased race resistance and natural decline of virulence, which might be expected after centuries."

New diseases mankind must fear are Psittacosis or "Parrot fever," Rubella, or "Rabbit fever" and Spirachetia-Jaundice.

"It is yet impossible," the *Journal* concluded, "to say whether these and like diseases will die in infancy or attain full growth with wide invasion. It is perhaps possible to say that, of these, spirachetia jaundice is the most likely to become widespread." —*United Press*.

Building Luxury Liners: 'No Fuss'

GERMANY is quietly preparing to make a "come-back" in the North Atlantic.

It is said that two liners, modelled on Britain's "Grand Old Lady," the *Mauretania*, are being built in a German yard.

They are designed to have an average speed of 33 knots, with reserve power to bring them up to 35 knots.

The two new ships are likely to make their appearance without fuss or ceremony, though it is believed that they will present a serious threat to the four days three hours fourteen minutes record of the *Normandie* and to the hopes of the *Queen Mary*.

Meanwhile, the *Queen Mary* is about to be overhauled.

A number of engineers from the Clydebank yard of John Brown and Co., Ltd., the *Queen Mary's* builder, will arrive at Southampton at the end of next week to "take possession" of the liner after she has arrived back from her third voyage, for a nine days' overhaul and dry dock.

When the necessary adjustments have been made it is expected that the *Queen Mary* will be in a position to go all out and to achieve the average she reached in her trials, known only to half a dozen people, but generally believed to be in the neighbourhood of 33 knots.

She Gave Aviation The Air

—FOR MATRIMONY

San Francisco, July 31.
Katherine May, the first girl to fly a million miles as a worker in one of women's most modern professions—an airliner stewardess—has placed her chic uniform among her souvenirs and opened her hope chest to take out the apron which will be the uniform of her new career—that of housewife.

She formally deserted the airways for the kitchen in announcing her forthcoming marriage to Ted Johnson of Salt Lake City, Utah, airline dispatcher who sent her ship into the sky numberless times.

"I know I'm going to miss my work, although it did become just riding around," she said.

MODERN JOB

Petite, pink-cheeked Katherine, to whom soaring between Salt Lake City and San Francisco several times a week since 1930 became monotonous, had refused to abandon the air lines until she achieved one ambition.

"I met Ted three years ago," she explained, "and we finally decided to get married last January but I was so near to the million mile mark that I couldn't bear to quit flying until I had passed it. I have kept a log book of my mileage since the first flight six years ago."

Miss May is the last of the original class of stewardesses to "graduate" from the work of feeding, soothing and generally "mothering" airline passengers.

The profession was originated by United Airlines in 1930. Eight registered nurses were selected and assigned as crew members. The experiment proved so successful that the job is standard on all major airlines and more than 5,000 girls have made application for the few vacancies.

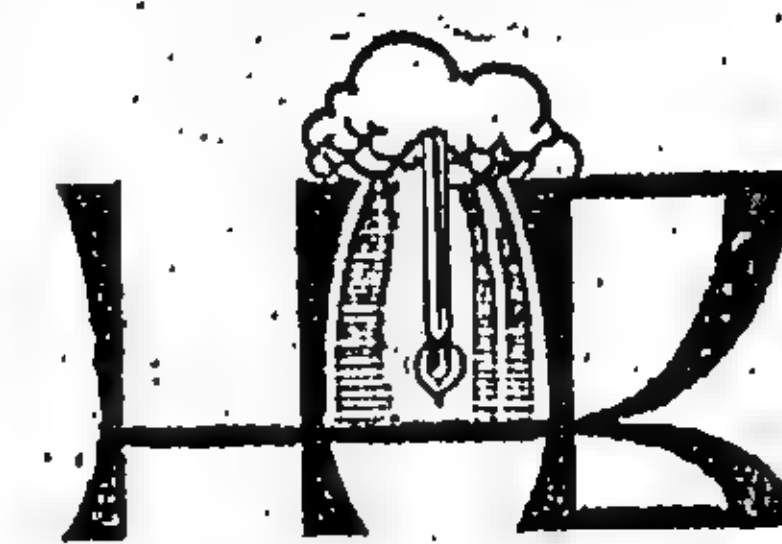
JUST LIKE THE FOLLIES

"I guess the stewardesses are just like Follies girls," one pilot sadly remarked as he watched Miss May slip into a waiting cab to be whisked from the airport.

"They're so damned beautiful and they always get married and we never see them again."

Miss May was born near Birden, Illinois.

"I first wanted to fly when I saw an old wartime plane flying over our farm," she said. "But there wasn't a place in commercial aviation for a girl when I started to work. So I turned to nursing and got my certificate. It proved to be the entering wedge into the career I wanted so much." —*United Press*.



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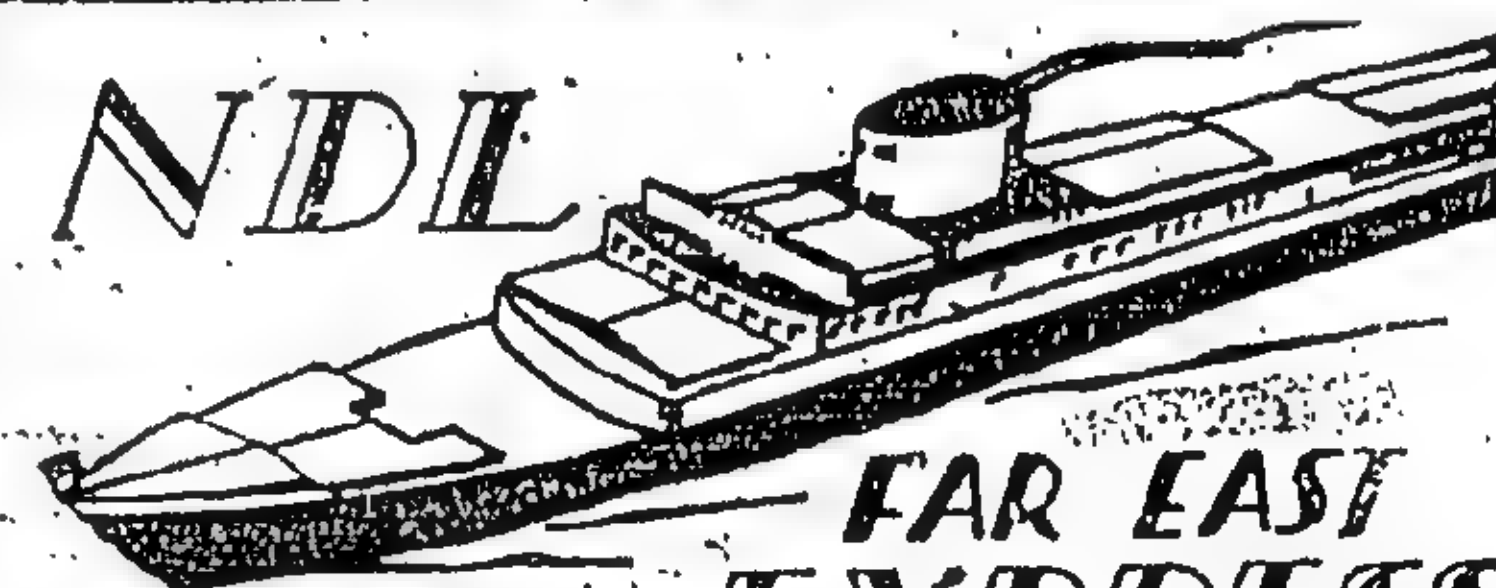


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CHINA LOSES TO JAPAN IN OLYMPIC BASKETBALL

OLYMPIC RESULTS SUMMARY

WILLIAMS WINS 400 METRES

Berlin, Aug. 7.
Summary of Olympic Games results compiled by United Press to-day is as follows.

400 METRES (SEMI-FINAL)

(Heat 1.—) Archie Williams (U.S.A.) 47.2 seconds
William Roberts (Britain)
John Loring (Canada)

(Heat 2.—) Jimmy Lavalle (U.S.A.) 47.1
Arthur Brown (Britain)
Bill Fritz (Canada)

400 METRES (FINAL)

1.—Archie Williams (U.S.A.) 46.5
2.—A. G. K. Brown (Britain)
3.—J. Lavalle (U.S.A.)

5,000 METRES (FINAL)

1.—G. Hoecckery (Finland) 14 mins. 22.2 secs. (Olympic record)

2.—Jauri Lethinen (Finland)
3.—John Jonsson (Sweden)
4.—Mosei Murakawa (Japan)

DECATHLON

100 METRES

1.—Bob Clark (U.S.A.) 10.9 secs.
2.—Glen Morris (U.S.A.)
3.—Armin Guesl (Switzerland)
4.—Jack Parker (U.S.A.)
5.—A. Jarvinen (Finland)
6.—Emile Binet (Belgium)

BROAD JUMP

1.—Clark (U.S.A.) 25 ft.
2.—Parker (U.S.A.)
3.—Jerry Flawczak (Poland)
4.—Guesl (Switzerland)
5.—Morris (U.S.A.)
6.—Erwin Ruder (Germany)

SHOT-PUT

1.—Glen Morris (U.S.A.) 46 ft. 2 in.

2.—Karl Olof Hoxell (Sweden)
3.—Akilles Jarvinen (Finland)
4.—Jack Parker (U.S.A.)
5.—Rober Clark (U.S.A.)
6.—Guesl (Switzerland)

HIGH JUMP

1.—Reindert Basser (Holland) 6 ft. 2 1/16 ins.
2.—Glen Morris (U.S.A.) and Jerry Flawczak (Poland) tied, 6 ft. 2 1/16 ins.
4.—Clark (U.S.A.), Parker (U.S.A.) and Guesl (Switzerland), tied 5 ft. 10 7/8 ins.

400 METRES

1.—Morris (U.S.A.) 49.4 seconds
2.—Clark (U.S.A.)
3.—Jarvinen (Finland)
4.—Brasser (Holland)
5.—Guesl (Switzerland)
6.—Parker (U.S.A.)

(Standings in the Decathlon at the end of the day were as follows:—Bob Clark (U.S.A.) 4,194, Glen Morris (U.S.A.) 4,192, Jack Parker (U.S.A.) 3,888, Reindert Basser (Holland) 3,873, A. Jarvinen (Finland) 3,787, Armin Guesl (Switzerland) 3,700.

PLUCKY EFFORT FAILS

JAPANESE CLEVER

MAKE WHIRLWIND FINISH

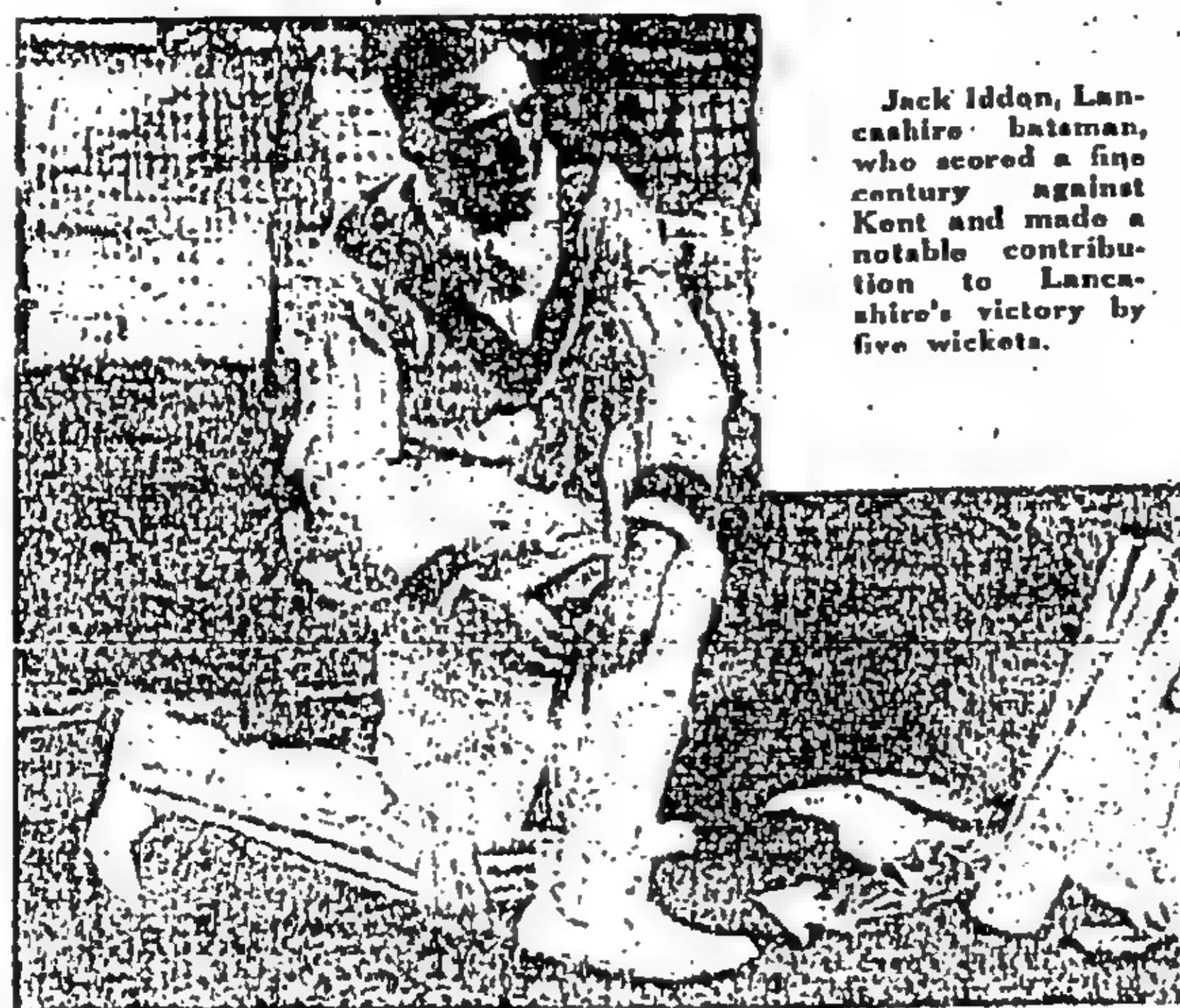
Berlin, Aug. 7.
China lost to Japan in the Olympic basketball competition to-day after a courageous display against tricky opponents. Japan won by 35 to 19, after leading at half-time 15-10.

Chinese were very plucky in the first half and the game was extremely even up to the first part of the second half. Thereafter the Japanese increased their pace, showing on the goals during the last five minutes.

JAPAN'S SMART FINISH

The game started with both teams indulging in long passing and long tides for goal, and there were few scrambles. The Japanese, asserting their greater experience and lightning their concentration, scored at half-time 15-10.

The Chinese opened the second half with an attempt to regain the lead, but the Japanese were the faster out.



Jack Iddon, Lancashire batsman, who scored a fine century against Kent and made a notable contribution to Lancashire's victory by five wickets.

SCORING-PAST & PRESENT

Cricket Fallacy Is Disproved

INTERESTING STUDY

Certain men of a certain age, whom one meets at almost every good cricket match, are fond of telling you that modern cricket is a dull game to watch. If you were to ask them why, if they find it so dull, they continue to come and look on at it, instead of amusing themselves in some other way, they would not regard this as a satisfactory reply, so perhaps it is better not to raise that question. They would explain that what they mean is that cricket, even modern cricket, can be interesting and exciting enough when batsmen are hitting about vigorously, but that these spectacular interludes come far too seldom in our degenerate days. There is too much poking and blocking, too much cautious play. The policy of safety first is carried to excess; hence their complaint.

All of us who attend cricket matches would, I think agree, that aggressive batting is more entertaining to watch than mere passive defence, and also that very often, though not perhaps always, it pays much better, as far as winning a three-days' game is concerned, writes a Sunday Observer correspondent. It is when the critics show, as they sometimes do, a tendency to persuade themselves and us that this lack of enterprise is peculiar to our own times that one wonders upon what evidence such a supposition is based.

Any suggestion that slow batting is a modern feature of cricket cannot, as far as I can see, be substantiated by a comparison of figures. Examination of old scores and records seems to show that the first-

class cricket which we watch to-day is very much the same as the cricket which our fathers or grandfathers watched long ago. The pace of run-getting has undergone no serious alteration, taking one match with another, during the last fifty or sixty years. No doubt, in order to establish the point, a fuller analysis of the scores than I have attempted, ought to be undertaken, but I have looked through a fair number without being able to discover any change.

RUNS PER OVER

As simple a way as any of making the comparison is one suggested by Mr. Weigall in a letter which appeared lately in The Observer, that is, by ascertaining the number of runs made off each over. In some respects this is better than taking the runs made per hour, for circumstances, such as the constant shifting of the field for a left-hander, may interrupt the batsman's opportunities of making runs. All that you can reasonably ask of any batsman, ancient or modern, is that he should score off as many of the balls bowled to him as he can, and it is obvious that the more runs he makes off six balls, the more lively and attractive the cricket will be to watch.

The first fixture which I examined was that old-established annual, Gentlemen and Players, at Lord's. Beginning with 1874, I took every tenth year down to 1934, and, after adjusting the figures to the six-ball over of to-day, obtain the following result:—

Year	Runs per over
1874	2.61
1884	2.69
1894	2.82
1904	3.32
1914	3.48
1924	3.51
1934	3.08

In addition I looked at two recent Gentlemen and Players and found that for 1933 the figure was 2.40, the lowest of the series, and for 1935 it was 2.32. A slight reduction is shown since the 1914 match, but it is scarcely enough to justify a charge of tediousness against modern batting. If we allow twenty overs to the hour, we get under sixty runs an hour in 1874 and 1884, nearly seventy runs an hour in 1914, and about sixty runs in 1934 and 1935.

A RESTRAINED PROCESS
Next, I turned to two county matches of long standing, Surrey and Middlesex and Nottinghamshire and Yorkshire. To avoid introducing too many figures I was content to take three of each of these games, at intervals of thirty years, 1872, 1902, and 1932.

The results were:—

County	Year	Runs per over
Notts and Yorks	1872	1.81
	1902	2.50
	1932	2.50
Surrey and Middx	1872	2.56
	1902	2.34
	1932	2.34

Incidentally, we may notice how the rate of scoring becomes slower, as it naturally would do, when two teams particularly strong in bowling are opposed. Matches between Notts and Yorkshire, or Yorkshire and Lancashire, have for many years been the sternest of struggles, fought out with a keenness which, while it

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HOME CRICKET

LANCS' SPLENDID VICTORY

Yorkshire In Form

London, Aug. 7.
For the first time for many weeks, the majority of county cricket matches finished to-day with decisive results.

One of the best victories of the day was that of Lancashire over Kent after the Hop county had declared their second innings. Lancashire were set to score 241 to win and they accomplished this with the loss of five wickets.

Yorkshire returned to their best form against Worcester winning by an innings. After Leyland had contributed a century, first Verity, and then Smiles, got among the wickets and Worcester were twice dismissed for less than 100.

Nine centuries were scored, while nine bowlers met with varying successes. The results and individual performances are tabulated by Reuter, follow.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

Somerset (193 and 122/2) beat Glamorgan (207 and 106) by eight wickets.

Middlesex (110 and 19/1) beat Gloucestershire (154 and 273) by nine wickets.

Lancashire (232 and 211/5) beat Kent (275 and 197/7 dec.) by five wickets.

Yorkshire (384) beat Worcester-shire (91 and 75) by an innings and 213.

Derbyshire (321) beat Surrey (204 and 315/7) on first innings.

Notts (309) beat Leicestershire (219) on first innings.

OTHER MATCHES

Warwickshire (181 and 219/3 dec.) drew with All-India (249 and 51/3).

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Moribund Schoolboys' Football In Hongkong

TEACHERS ARE INDICTED

The moribund state of schoolboys' football in Hongkong was emphasised, and regretted, by speakers at the annual meeting of the Kowloon Football Club yesterday.

Mr. T. A. Mitchell, President of the club which has for several years organised an annual match between representative schoolboy teams from the Island and Mainland, indicted the British school-teachers, accusing them of lack of interest, and affirming that until the schoolmasters were prepared to do their part in the promotion of schools' football, its resuscitation would be a very laborious process.

Very significantly Mr. Mitchell observed: "There has been agitation to get a School Boys' League together but until more interest is displayed by the British teachers it is well nigh hopeless for any other Club or Association to inaugurate the League."

Among the various items of interest transacted at the meeting was the election of Mr. R. M. Hall as honorary life member, the decision to raise the annual subscription from \$10 a year to \$12 to provide for a better clubhouse, and a vote in favour of the abolition of the existing hard tennis courts to give place to a lawn bowls green.

Our Daily Golf Hint

There are two T's in putting—Technique and Thought.
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LEE AND CO. WERE TOO CLEVER

CHINA SHOULD HAVE WON

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(By "Veritas")

Too Clever!

That is the accusation, paradoxical though it may seem, which has to be levelled at China's football team which lost yesterday to Britain in the World Olympic competition.

Reports show clearly that China had just as much of the game, if not more, as Britain, but their passing, though excellent, was too close and overdone.

It enabled a rattled British team to jump in first time and save some harassing positions.

Reports are unanimous that the Chinese headed brilliantly, and from an academic viewpoint displayed a superior brand of football. But (and it is an old story as Hongkong football followers know only too well) the Chinese refused to shoot often enough. They were spectacular, fast and skilful—in all phases but shooting.

So China had the game and Britain the goals.

A blank first half is some indication of the way in which the Chinese held their opponents. In fact it took Britain 55 minutes before they could pierce the Orientals' defence. Eight minutes later China's fate was sealed when Britain broke through again.

Yet it was all against the run of the play.

Bad Luck China! Yet one can't help feeling it was their own fault.

Y.M.C.A. SWIMMING GALA

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European Y.M.C.A. will be holding another swimming gala on Wednesday next, an attractive programme having been drawn up.

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Further details of the gala will appear in next week's issues.

LAWN BOWLS

INTERPORT TEAM SELECTED

HYDE-LAY AS CAPTAIN

H. A. ALVES FOR SHANGHAI

Six players to represent Hongkong in the forthcoming Bowls Interport to be played at Shanghai next month were chosen by the Hongkong Selection Committee at a meeting held in the board-room of the South China Morning Post Ltd. yesterday.

Mr. C. J. Tacchi, President of the Association, presided at the meeting, other members of the Committee present being Messrs. C. B. Hosking (Hon. Secretary), G. H. Sherill, E. el Annulli, J. Russell, J. V. Ramsay, and S. Deacon.

It was stated that in addition to the 12 names already submitted to the Association, two had been sent in since the last meeting. These were A. E. Coates, of the Craigengower C.C., and H. A. Alves, of the Club de Recreo.

The meeting unanimously decided to select A. Hyde-Lay, of the Kowloon C.C., a former champion of the Colony, as captain of the Hongkong team. The following six were selected:

A. Hyde-Lay (Kowloon C.C.), captain.

A. E. Coates (Craigengower C.C.).

H. A. Alves (Club de Recreo).

H. H. Rose (Kowloon B.C.C.).

P. E. Knight (Civil Service C.C.).

J. F. MacGowan (Civil Service C.C.).

The team will leave Hongkong on September 4 in the Empress of Asia and will return by the Chichibu Maru, leaving Shanghai on September 10.

It was intimated at the meeting that Hyde-Lay, as captain, will have full charge of the team in Shanghai.

PAIRS SEMI-FINAL

The semi-final match in the Open Pairs, between S. A. Bright and J. E. Henson, of the Kowloon B.C.C., and J. E. Noronha and F. X. M. da Silva, of the Club de Recreo, has been re-arranged for Tuesday, August 11, on the Kowloon C.C. green. Mr. H. Overy will umpire the match. Should the weather be unfavourable, the game will be played on the following day or the next playable day.

SINGLES FINAL

The final of the Open Singles between A. E. Coates and L. A. Gutierrez has been fixed for Friday, August 14, on the Kowloon Bowling Green Club green, to commence at 5 p.m. Mr. C. B. Hosking will umpire.

PAIRS FINAL

The final of the Open Pairs, between S. Randle and R. Duncan, of the Kowloon B.C.C., and the winners of the J. E. Noronha and F. X. M. da Silva v. S. A. Bright and J. E. Henson match, will be played on Wednesday, August 19, commencing at 4.30 p.m. Mr. C. J. Tacchi will umpire.

DRAW IN RINKS SEMI-FINAL

The following was the result of the draw in the semi-finals of the Open Rinks Competition:

S. A. Bright	v.	A. B. Landolt
L. F. Xavier	v.	A. S. Gomes
P. V. V. Ribeiro	v.	W. V. Field
H. A. Alves (skip)	v.	H. F. Lee (skip)

(Civil Service C.C. green).

D. M. Khan	v.	A. M. Omar
A. K. M. M. v. D. M. Omar	v.	D. M. Omar

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KOWLOON FOOTBALL CLUB
ANNUAL MEETINGSCHEMES TO IMPROVE
CLUBHOUSE: LAY
DOWN BOWLING GREEN

The decision to replace the hard courts of the Kowloon Football Club by a bowling green though still leaving grass courts available for tennis during the free season, was one of the resolutions adopted by the 25 or so members who attended the 22nd annual general meeting yesterday.

Mr. T. A. Mitchell, President, was in the chair, and others present included Messrs. T. G. Stokes, R. Hall, J. McKelvie, A. S. Blyth (Hon. Secretary) and J. P. White (Hon. Treasurer).

The Chairman said: "Our Honorary Secretary, considering a profit of \$143.68 'very satisfactory' and from your Committee's viewpoint it must be considered so; but whether the ordinary members of the Club will agree is another point. To me, whilst satisfactory, it is disappointing. Last year we turned the corner with an exhibition of football that our gates would show a material increase and so put your Committee in a position to have something concrete to place before you this evening regarding the Club-house. The First Team did well, but unfortunately not well enough to put them on the upper half of the league table. They were not a threat to any of the teams running for honours, consequently poor attendances at their home games were experienced; but the most unfortunate part was the hurried close to the season and our inability to play mid-week games."

INADEQUATE TEAMS
There were certain revenue-producing gates which did not come up to expectations, which in a measure was due to the composition of the teams fielded by our rivals, arising out of circumstances not entirely under their control. This, of course, can be laid down to the manner in which the Football Association in years gone past has allowed Clubs to postpone and re-arrange fixtures without taking into consideration any of the hardships that might befall others, and allowing depleted teams to turn out. I sincerely hope that in the ensuing season the good resolutions

that are held by the Hongkong Football Association will be carried through and that fixtures are maintained in accordance with the programme laid down. At last year's Meeting I regretted the absence of your Chairman, Mr. R. Hall, and promised that on his return when he again took over the reins of office, I would take an early opportunity of discussing with him the question of a new Club-house. Gentlemen, that discussion was held but it boiled itself down, as it has in former years, as to what we were going to use for money. All sorts of schemes for raising the money were discussed but with everyone possessing a workable scheme could not be framed. Consequently I have again to apologise for the present condition of the Club-house.

VALUE OF TENNIS
Club funds in the main accrue from gates at football matches. Good tennis receives the best support. It is therefore incumbent upon the players to carry out their part towards the Club's maintenance, which with last year's promised improvement in their play will doubtless be forthcoming.

Your Committee has worked exceptionally hard to keep the Club on the right side. Expenditure has been cut to a minimum, but there is one item that I must single out as a non-supporting proposition; and that is the Tennis Section. Some members might think that this costs nothing once the courts have been laid, but forget that we must renew from time to time the various nets and screens and pay for sufficient ball boys. I am

of the opinion that better use could be made of the ground the hard Courts now occupy. It has been whispered to me that we should lose some members if we were to cut out the Tennis Section, but it is my opinion that we would gain more were we to offer something in its place, and as I understand there is a proposition to be put before the meeting later this evening regarding this, I will refrain from saying more on this subject.

I have already mentioned the First Eleven and I am hopeful that with the signatures we already have we shall be able to field practically the same team which showed so much improvement towards the end of last season and with one or two signatures we expect to get before the season starts we sincerely hope the wishes of the Committee will be fulfilled. They played as good football as most of the teams that came here and just that extra little bit of loss, usually necessary, would have shown us a different result.

A BRAVE 2ND XI
Regarding the Second Eleven, I have nothing but praise for them. They managed to fulfill all their fixtures and very seldom did they turn out with a depleted team. Immaterial of whether they had been beaten 6-0 the week before they came back for more. I would appeal to the Members of the Club to give more support to our junior players by turning out and attending the games, not only on our own grounds but travelling with the team and giving encouragement to the youngsters.

The changes in the Committee have been many, but at each meeting there has been practically a full muster of elected members and our Secretary and Treasurer are to be congratulated on the good work they have put in for the Club. Our Bar Convenor has also been on the job, stands most of his day looking after the interests of the members, and is to be congratulated on the way he has managed to keep the Staff up to scratch and to preserve the harmony which should at all times prevail.

TEACHERS' APATHY
Our efforts on behalf of Charity call for a good deal of time, thought and work, and I regret the very small amount that we were able to raise last year over to this cause. I feel that amongst the members of this Club more should be done to enable your Committee greatly to augment the

INTERPORT BOWLS

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A. R. Dallah (skip) U. M. Omar (skip)
Club de Beccle (green).

The matches will have to be completed by August 23.

The skips are requested to notify the Hon. Secretary of the Association the dates fixed for the matches.

LEAGUE FIXTURES
The following League matches have been re-arranged:

August 29
Programme of May 16,
September 5

FIRST DIVISION
Kowloon Dock v. Talook R. C.
Civil Service C.C. v. Club de Beccle

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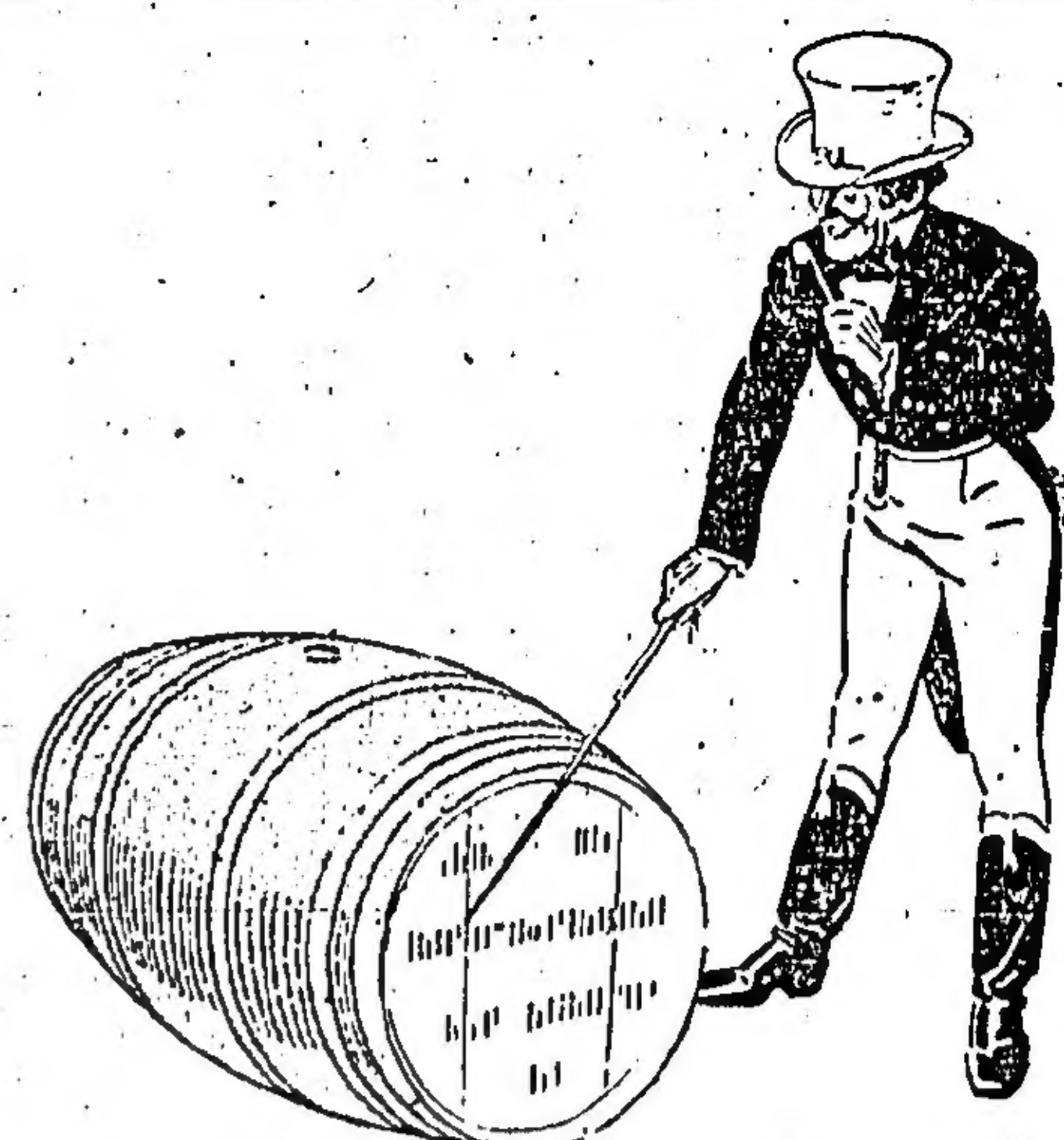
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[WHAT I SAW IN
RUSSIA—5]

WE travelled through some very pleasant country until we reached a collective farm in the village of Dvorchny "meeting-place of two rivers."

The farm was called Nadir and it was formerly the property of some wealthy landowner. It was founded originally as a farm in 1922, but was then much smaller. There were now 183 families in the village, and they farmed 1,200 hectares, or 3,000 acres. This was divided up among cattle, dairy farm, vegetables, and so on.

It was a poor village apparently, and the chairman of the farm, a young peasant, said they formerly had more land than they had at present. They had 120 cows on the collective farm and the peasants had 89 others on their own property. In addition, the farm now had 23 calves.

The peasants came together and in 1933 they elected a director and a board of management. A new election was due to take place now.

The farm really was managed by a co-operative production society and the work was organised in three brigades: (1) dealing with pasturing, (2) with field work, and (3) with the kitchen gardens and vegetable production.

When the farm was first organised in 1922, they had only 33 members and farmed 60 hectares and they had only 8 horses. Now they had 120 horses. In 1934 they had 12 horses and 200 calves, 200 calves from the Government.

They spent a good deal of money on repairs to the property and in building. They had an annual balance sheet and the proportion which was to be put by for these purposes was decided by the members. They received from the Government a bonus for their good work.

★ EVERY member of the farm worked on task work which was fixed at so many labour days. These labour days were not "time days" but represented a certain fixed amount of work which the member was expected to complete.

When these days were entered in the books of the collective farm. When the crop was sold, after the Government had taken its fixed share, the surplus was divided among the members in accordance with the number of working days they had to their credit.

An allowance was also made for expenses of education and repairs. Some of the peasants had more than 400 working days to their credit, but, of course, the return they received depended on the harvest yield.

The part of the actual crop which the peasant took was sold by him in the open market. The collective farm gave some assistance in transporting the goods there, or even sold them for him.

Then we went to inspect the farm buildings. First we visited the restaurant which was situated in an old and somewhat dilapidated main building, with accommodation for possibly forty people at small tables.

I was struck by the ragged dresses of many of the peasants. Some of them wore good boots, but their clothes were for the most part mud-stained and tattered. Scarcely any of the women wore boots, and none of the children.

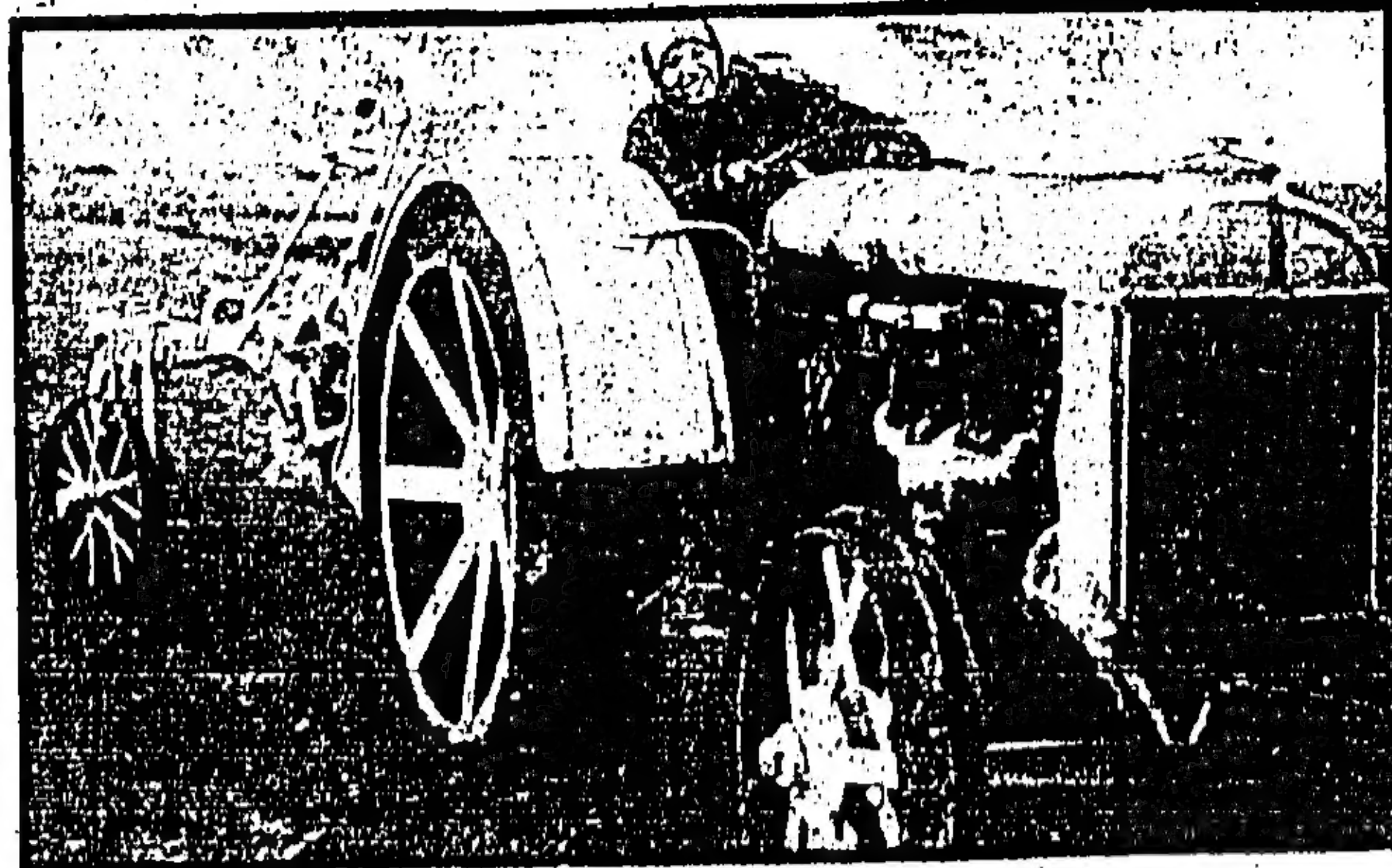
As for the children of the peasants, particularly the boys, much of it had been cut down after serving for many years their parents' or someone else's use.

★ THE farm buildings were all clean but, like most of the houses, jerry-built, the walls being made of a sort of lath framework with mud and straw plastered over it.

We saw the very young calves, some of which were only a few days old, and all of which looked healthy and well-cared-for. There was no sign of lack of food anywhere, and the children all appeared to be well and well-fed.

On this small farm they had 70 calves and 10 foals this year.

I went into several peasants' houses. The first was that of one of the nine Communists who are employed on the farm. It consisted of two rooms, both a



Woman driving a State-provided tractor on a collective farm near Moscow.

fairly good size, the larger one being about 18 by 16 feet and at least 10 feet high.

It was the former residence of one of the servants of the owner whose property had been confiscated. The smaller room was about 12 feet square, and there was a family of five living in these two rooms.

There was a large brick stove, time-worn, which filled at least a quarter of both apartments.

The next house was very similar to the first except that it had sheds at the rear of the house which were still more battered than those of the first house. Here the less, both houses were very clean and the walls inside and out were white-washed.

The people, too, were delightfully friendly and cheerful. I felt that there was an immense amount of good sense and brains' feeling amongst these people, as well as intelligence, which the Soviet, in doubt, do not underestimate.

We then went to the village club, a wooden building in which the tables were covered with green baize, and which had a small meeting hall as well as a tiny library.

There were pictures of tractors showing the spare parts, and pictures showing how necessary it was for the peasants to work steadily instead of being their time away and not attending to their crops.

★ OUTSIDE this place, although it was Sunday, there were about forty women working, sorting out potatoes. We had been told that Sunday was always taken as a rest day by the peasants, who stoutly take no notice of the five-day week.

Here at least they were hard at it. Not one of them had boots, but they and the children who came in crowds to see us, were a thoroughly happy-looking lot of people, despite their abject poverty.

Then we saw a village école, where the peasant children were being trained to go to sleep at the scheduled time, just like those in the factories. The system, indeed, was the same as in the factories, and the rules also.

The only difference was that there was one shift only and the children were in the école from eight in the morning until after six in the evening. They all seemed perfectly well cared for and sturdy looking.

We returned to the hotel at 5 p.m., after which we went to the Labour Commune for children, called the Derjinsky Children's Home. This was a colony for homeless and criminally defective children.

It was established in 1927 by the C.P.U. (the State Political Police) and received its name from the then head of that organization. They took children about thirteen to fourteen

On a Collective Farm

by SIR WALTER
CITRINE

years of age, and these remained until they were about eighteen or so.

Both boys and girls were accommodated, and at present they have about 500 children on the place.

The Commune was self-supporting and had its own factories, which made electric drills, tools and photographic apparatus. The children spent half their day in the factories and the remainder in school, about four hours being devoted to each.

They were divided into fourteen groups, each under a "boy commander." These fourteen formed a council which was permanently responsible for the administration of the home.

The children were paid for their work. Some of the best categories received 150 roubles a month. From this about 65 per cent. was deducted for board and lodging, and the remaining 35 per cent. was retained pending the boy's departure.

★ IN addition, they received approximately 900 roubles from the State to give them a start in life.

I estimated that about 3,000 roubles would have accumulated by the time the boy was ready for departure.

I thought this was a large sum to entrust to a boy. They said, however, that a good deal of money was used during his stay in the home, and the sum was never so high. Furthermore, they knew where he was going, and also knew the type of boy.

I asked whether there was any inducement to subscribe to State loans and invest in a savings bank, and I was told there was.

Then we went round the various dormitories and found them very clean and the children quite neat and intelligent. I should think there were a good many rough and intractable characters amongst them.

I asked how they were brought into the home. I was told they came from stations under the charge of the militia.

They were picked up on the streets and sometimes it was difficult to make inquiries concerning them because they denied all knowledge of name, place of residence, etc. They were kept at the station for a short time, and then transferred to one of these homes.

★ THIS was one of the few which had apparatus for training, and they took boys from other places. Children with criminal tendencies were taken in as well.

It was now dark, and we motored away from the home down the tree-lined roads until the heart of the city was reached again. There were many people parading along the streets which might be dignified as "boulevards."

They were fine and wide and the Soviet had planted some thousands of trees along the footpaths. Then we

went into a former club of nobles, which had been transformed into a children's club, known as the Pioneers' Palace.

Here there were many rooms for children's amusement and instruction in various mechanical arts, some 100 people being employed to look after the 4,000 visitors who attend daily. Children came from all parts and they were allowed approximately two hours for games and instruction.

We were rushed off then to catch the train, accompanied by the President of the Khar'kov Trades Council, who told me they had 80 Unions here. Some of the principal Unions had their headquarters in the city because, since the revolution, they now had many Unions where formerly they had only a few. They had, for example, now three railway Unions, one of which was for the South and had its headquarters here.

We got to discussing the wages system, and they asked me what was my general impression. I said I thought had occurred to me when I went through the various workshops that the individual did not seem to have very much control over the fixing of his wages. Nor did the Trade Unions seem to do very much in that direction.

They at once agreed that the Trade Unions were consulted at every stage in the plans.

I said their position was not comparable to any Trade Union Movement in the world. They were, as far as I could see, entrusted with functions which in other countries were carried

out by the State itself. They were, in fact, State organisations, and I could not see that they had any really separate existence.

With regard to the collective agreement, I had been struck by the fact that these were sometimes 100 per cent. to even 200 per cent. below the actual earnings. How was this? Was it due to lack of experience, or was it really due to fixing the collective rate so low that it was only a vague guide? They said that productivity grew so rapidly that the Unions could not forecast definitely what was going to happen in the year or the life of the agreement.

★ I POINTED out that the State Planning Commission was able to calculate fairly well the production of industry, and so they must know the output of the individual worker equally well. It seemed to me that too much was left to fate and such people.

The Chairman said that the money wage was not the most important factor. The emphasis was on the social wage, and the Unions more and more pressed for an increase of this.

I asked what was the proportion of the social wage to the total. The Chairman said he thought it was about 45 per cent., but it was difficult to put into figures. I remarked that this was a much higher figure than I had encountered elsewhere, where it was estimated at about 33 per cent.

We could not complete our conversation because the train started to go in the middle of our talk, and away we went for Dnepropetrovsk.

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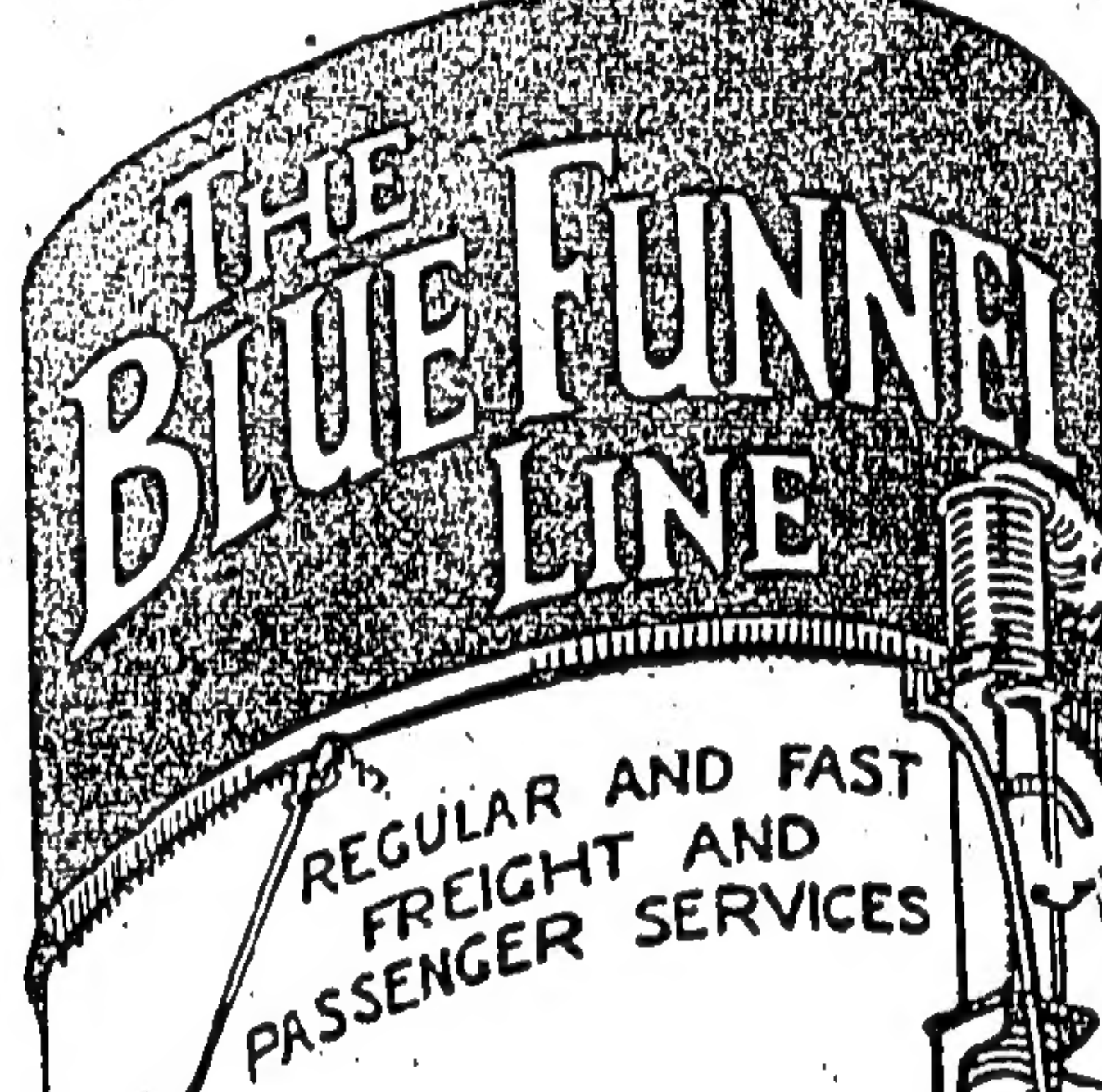
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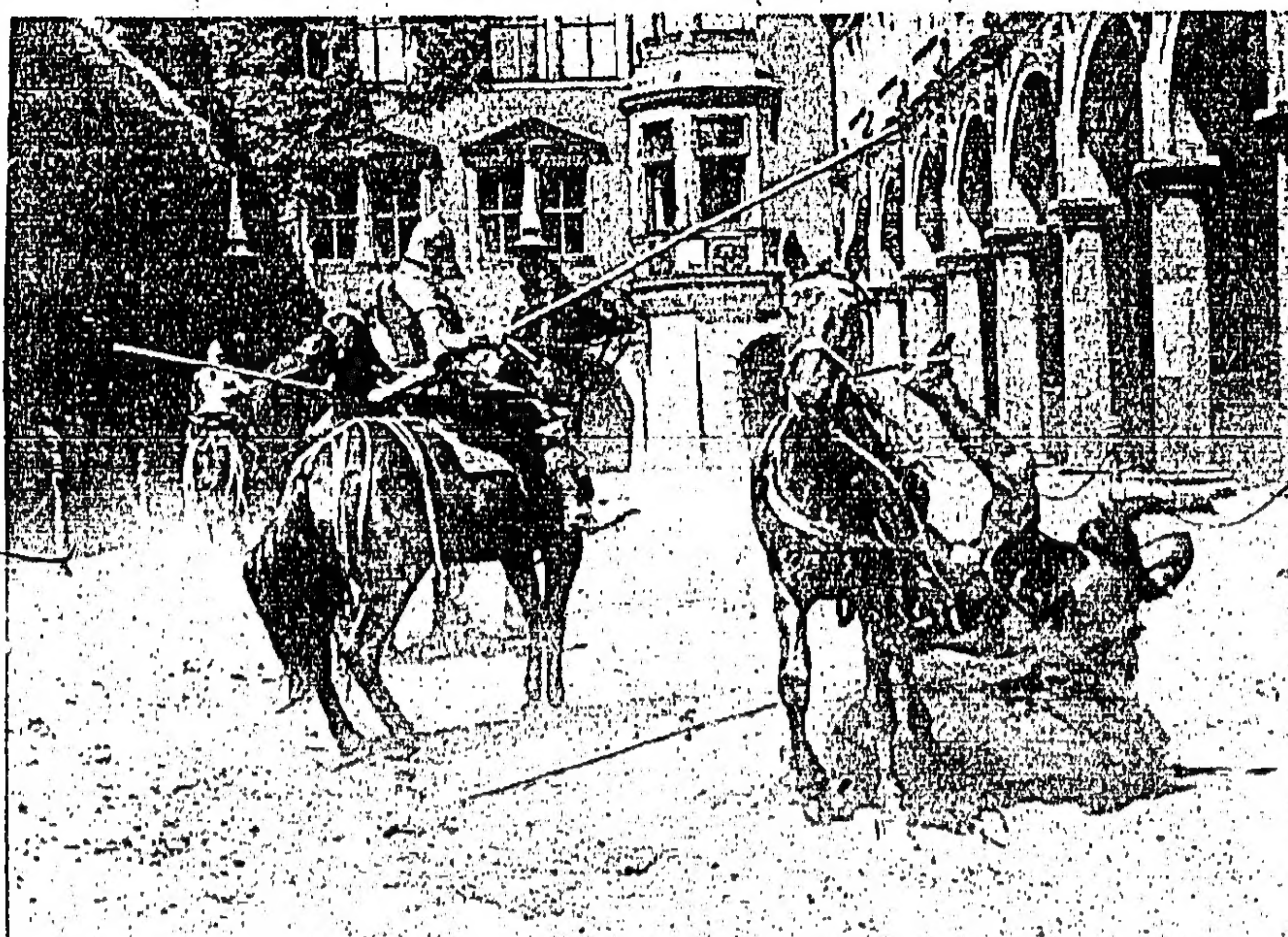
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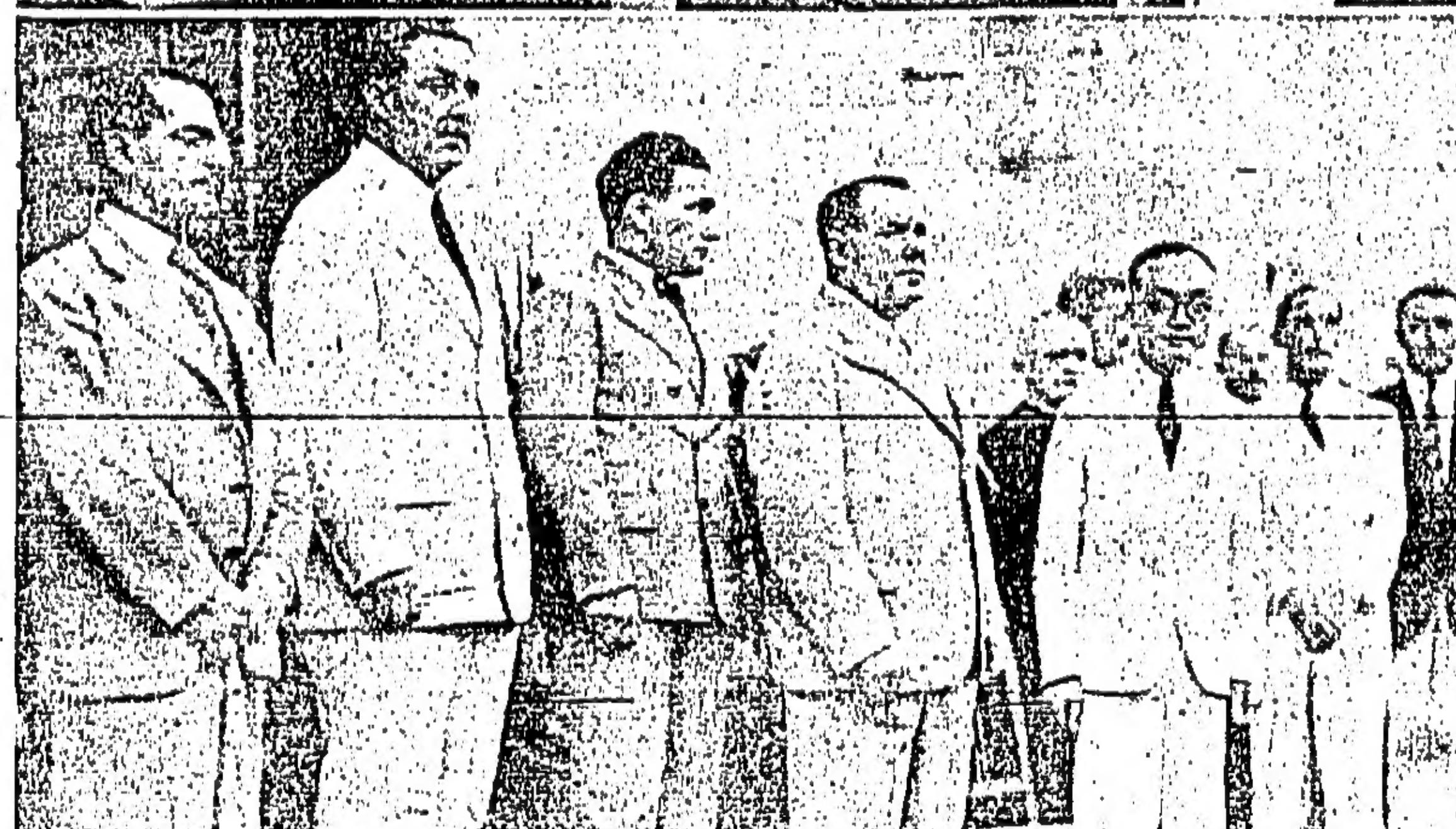
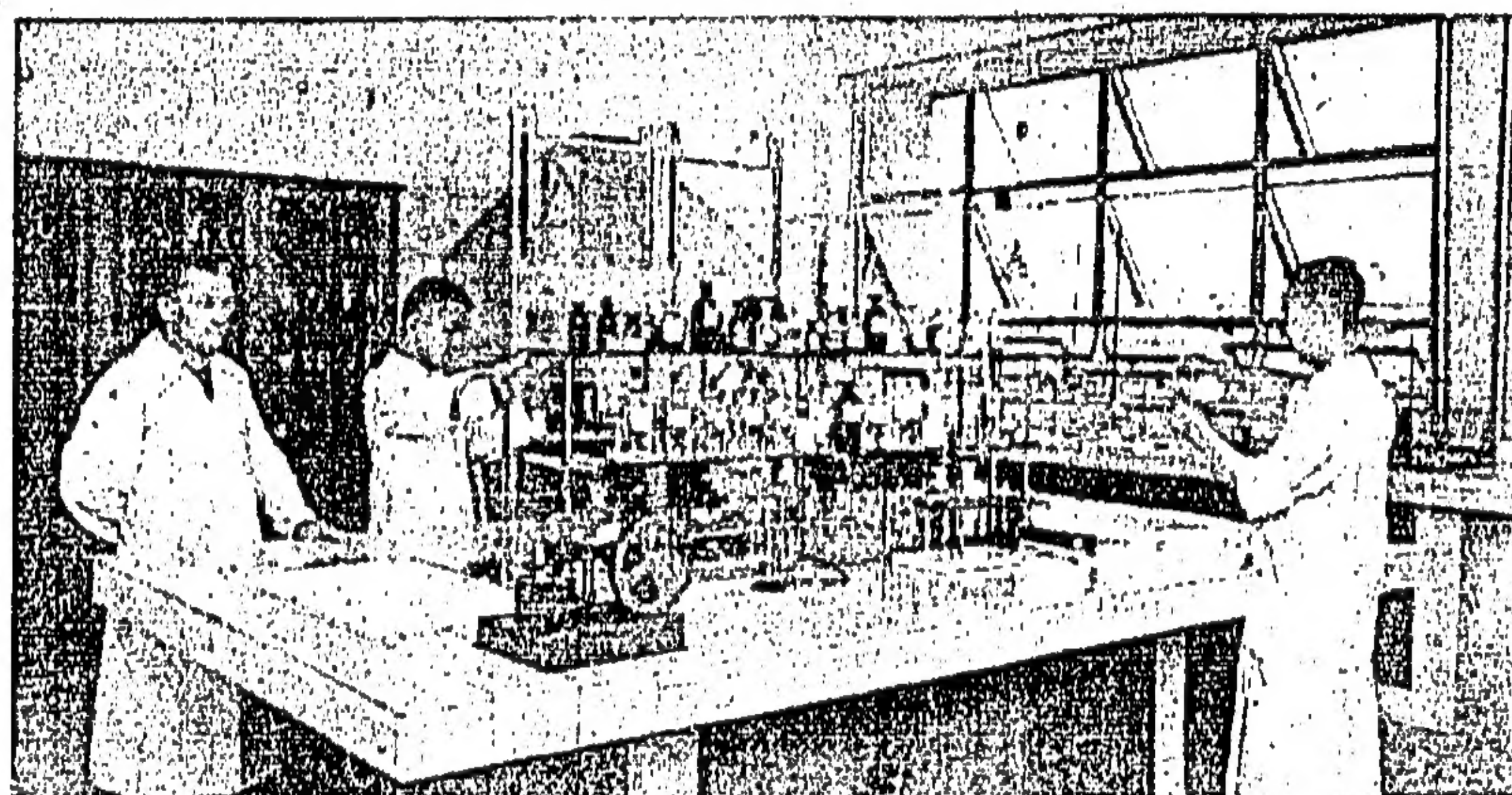
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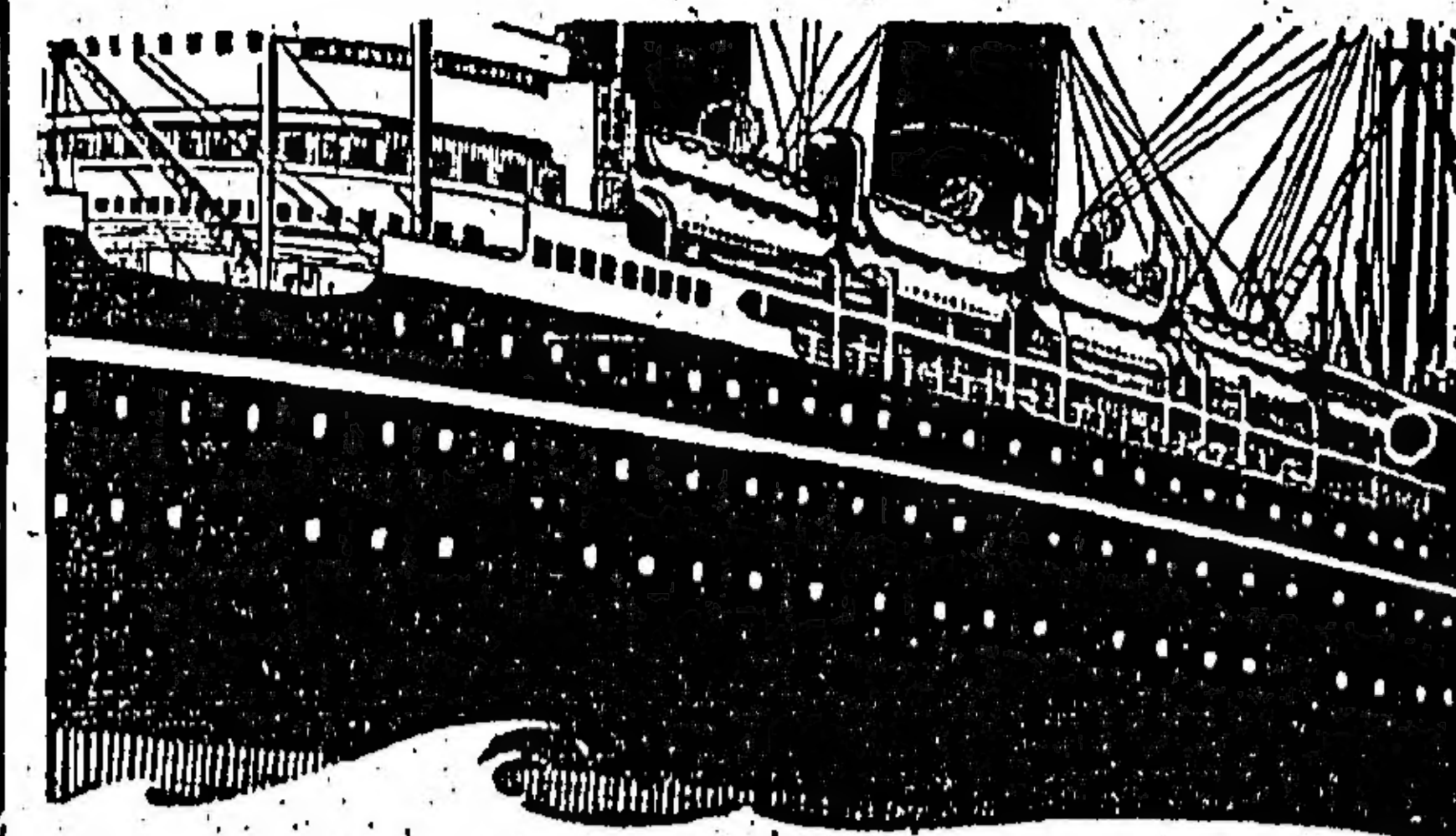
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Heading the catalogue is Mr. Chiu Shu-ning, a perfect colourist, whose studies of birds and flowers are unsurpassed. No. 1 is a harmony of black—a scheme rarely achieved by western artists. No. 5, "Cockatoo," is a study that has all the delicate colours one may expect from a bird of this nature. No. 11 is a charming study of flowers.

Mr. Ho Chai-yuen and Mr. Yung Shau-shek's treatment is somewhat less sensitive both in tone and in colour. In the subject of landscape, however, the former has retained and upheld the tradition of Chinese Art; but in his "Stag in Snow" (No. 52) the treatment is westernised. Mr. Yung Shau-shek has not fully utilised the liquid wash technique except in a few "misty" subjects. "Java Sparrows" (No. 101) is a very accurate study both in colour and in form.

Mr. Chow Yat-fung has made great advance in his colour scheme. It will be remembered that during the last Exhibition of the same Club held in December last at China Building he only exhibited monochrome drawings of which he no doubt is a master. He has a very original outlook in his landscape composition and his Pine Tree studies (Nos. 25-28) are as masterly as they are appealing. No. 22, "A Scene in Kweilin," has a very attractive and unusual composition. His other subjects, however, do not appear to be so attractive.

Mr. Ip Shiu-ling is more concerned in observation, so that his subjects are more accurately rendered. In Nos. 71 & 72 all the goldfish have a foreshortening which is nothing less than marvellous. The rendering of bubbles blown through water also shows keen observation. His use of white is masterly, as Nos. 69 & 70 will show. This applies in Mr. Wong Siu-keung's case (No. 97 "Untamed") and No. 95 "Goddess of Mercy." At his best, however, is his characteristic study of poor people and toilers, such as No. 94, which reminds me of Gauguin.

All the pictures shown should be worth at least double their marked price, the reason for their unusually low price being the necessity for raising sufficient funds to cover the expense of the Exhibition. Art lovers will afford this rare opportunity of securing fine Chinese Art.

ACTOR'S SMALL ESTATE LEAVES LESS THAN £130

London, Aug. 7. The late Sir Philip Ben Greet, actor and producer, who was associated with many ventures for the popular presentation of Shakespeare's plays both at home and abroad, and who died intestate on May 17, last, left £127.

Sir Philip was included among those to whom Civil List pensions were granted this year, but he died before the grant became effective. —British Wireless.

FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS

The following forthcoming weddings are announced: Mr. Alfred Hewlett-Smith, secretary and treasurer, of 1203 Grosvenor House, Shanghai, and Mrs. Phyllis Audrey Lacey, who is on her way to the Colony, per s.s. Hakusan Maru; Mr. Luiz Alberto Rosaria, clerk, Gibb, Livingston & Co., Ltd., and Miss Lindamira Marques Ferreira, residing at 31 Hankow Road, Kowloon.

IN SIGHT OF MADRID

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Avila, urging the Basque Catholics desert the anti-clerical Popular Front forces and discontinue fighting against their Catholic brothers of Navarre.

The Popular Front of Madrid and San Sebastian have dropped manifestoes from aeroplanes over the cities of the two provinces, saying: "As soon as our aerial concentration is complete, Vittoria and Pamplona will be in our power." —United Press.

Balearcic Expedition

Madrid, Aug. 7. Eleven bombing aeroplanes, three submarines, two destroyers and one converted trans-Atlantic liner, with 14,700 troops, carrying 2,500 bombs and 100 machine-guns, are sailing, possibly Saturday, to recapture the Balearic Islands from the rebels, and to repossess the ammunition depot near Palma, Majorca, and also the oil refinery there. —United Press.

POWERS SHOW SYMPATHIES

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be sent out of Britain. —British Wireless.

Protest To Rebels

The British Government at Gibraltar protested to the Spanish insurgent leader, General Franco, regarding the firing by rebel gunboats on a British destroyer.

Simultaneously, protests were made to the Spanish Government, asking that its ships be kept clear of Gibraltar thus avoiding danger to life and property on British soil. —Reuter Bulletin Service.

Really A Warning

London, Aug. 7. It is understood that Great Britain contemplates serious steps, the nature of which are not divulged, in the event of a repetition of firing by Spanish ships which has endangered lives and property at Gibraltar. It is noteworthy that the press termed Thursday's protest to Spain "a warning." —United Press.

TENDERS ACCEPTED LATEST GOVERNMENT LIST

The Government has accepted the following tenders: Formation of access road to New Cemeteries Area north and east of Hammer Hill (1st Section). —Messrs. Kwan On & Co.

Lifts, Queen Mary Hospital. —Messrs. General Electric Co. of China, Ltd.

Hot water installation to two blocks of flats, Queen Mary Hospital. —Messrs. Lee Yu Kee.

Construction of sea and nullah walls at North Point. —Messrs. Ching Hing Construction Co.

Asphalt roofing to two blocks of flats at Queen Mary Hospital. —Messrs. Shewan Tomes & Co.

Repairs to Blake Pier. —Messrs. Ah Hing & Co.

New public latrine, Lockhart Road, Wanchai. —Messrs. Kin Lee & Co.

Purchase of unserviceable stores. —Messrs. Wing Tak.

Spectacles. —Messrs. The Hongkong Optical Co.

COLONY'S CREDIT BALANCE SLIGHT DECREASE IN MAY

Financial returns issued by the Government show that the Colony's credit balance at the end of May was \$13,112,976, against \$13,441,002 at the end of April.

Revenue from January to May inclusive totalled \$12,460,726, against \$11,893,219 for the corresponding period last year, the respective expenditure figures being \$11,735,418 and \$11,252,502.

Stamp Duty To Be Increased

PROMISSORY NOTE REVISION

Additional revenue estimated to yield about \$20,000 per annum is hoped to be raised as the result of a proposed change in the duty on promissory notes by an amendment of the law relating to stamp duty.

The objects and reasons state, in part, that the object of Clause 2 of the amending Bill is to prevent persons evading the stamp duty on conveyances by only executing contracts for sale which are in many cases, especially in the case of company promotions and reconstructions, found to be as good for all practical purposes as conveyances.

The new section 31A inserted in the principal Ordinance by the clause follows closely the language of section 59 of the Stamp Act, 1881, as amended by section 12 of the Revenue Act, 1909, but United Kingdom Patents, or trade marks and the portion of goodwill created thereby are mentioned, expressly in the exception as they are properly under the section (see Benjamin Brooke & Co. v. Commissioners of Inland Revenue, 1890, 2 Q.B. 356). An agreement or assignment where the only asset in the Colony is the trade mark and goodwill thereof will not be affected, but in the case of an agreement to assign a business in the Colony including trade marks, the goodwill will be apportioned between that which relates to the trade marks and the remainder of the business.

The object of Clause 4 of the amending Bill is to create a new heading in the Schedule to make provision for the new section 31A enacted in Clause 2 of the Bill.

The object of Clause 5 of the Bill is to change the duty on promissory notes of any kind whatsoever (except bank notes), if drawn, or expressed to be payable, or actually paid, or endorsed, or in any manner negotiated, within the Colony, from 10 cents for every \$500 or part thereof to 10 cents for the first \$100 or part thereof and 5 cents for every subsequent \$100 or part thereof, in order to secure an additional revenue estimated at about \$20,000 per annum.

CHICAGO'S VENGEANCE CARDINALS GIVEN HARD BEATING

New York, Aug. 7. Although lagging well behind the leaders, Chicago Cubs had a taste of vengeance when they whipped St. Louis Cardinals, their rivals for the National League honours, fourteen to five to-day.

The Cubs hit eighteen times while the Cardinals hit nine. Each had one error.

Pittsburgh remained in the running, winning twice from Boston, five to one in the first and one to nothing in the second. The first was without errors, and each had two in the second.

New York, too, clung to third place, hitting fifteen times against the Phillies' ten, and scoring nine runs to three. Phillies had two errors.

In the American League, Cleveland beat Chicago three to one, hitting eleven to seven.

Washington beat Boston, despite Fox's homer, three to two, though the Cardinals were badly out-hit. They had but six to the Red Sox' twelve and three of the four errors. —Reuter.

RIOTING IN MADEIRA

OWING TO RAISED FOOD PRICES

Funchal, Aug. 7. Rioting has occurred in various parts of Madeira, owing to a Government decree raising the price of bread and butter.

Two warships are being rushed from Portugal, in case of emergency. Armed police were called out, and after a few hours they suppressed the rioting, in which a number of rioters were injured. All is now normal. —Reuter Special.

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THESE BLONDE MAN-MENAGES ARE IN THE BREACH-OF-PROMISE RACKET NOW!
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FRANCHOT TONE
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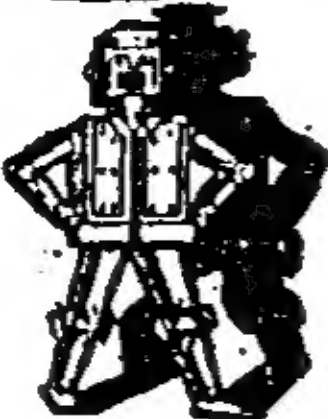
TO-DAY ONLY **MAJESTIC** THEATRE At 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20 p.m.

"You silly girl, I ought to slap you around the block for falling for a speech like 'I love you'!"
Sylvia SIDNEY
Herbert MARSHALL
"Arise on Youth"
Adolph Zukor presents

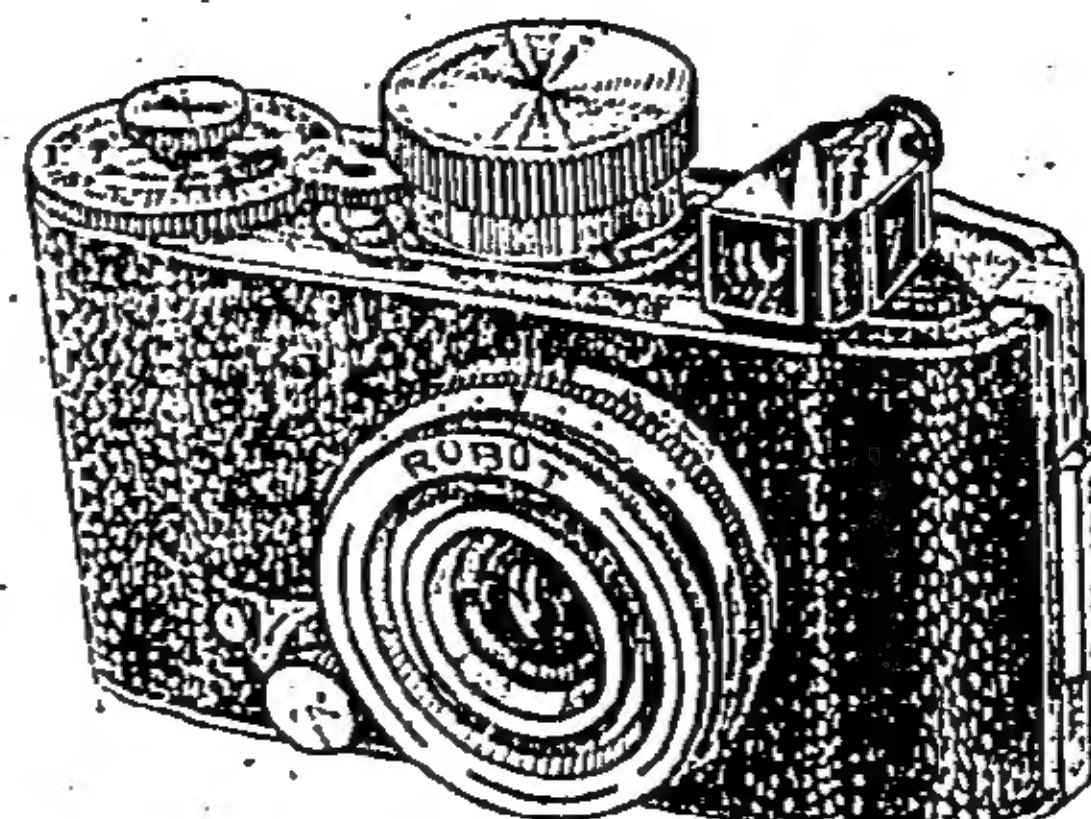
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